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Local Matters.

Council to Meet.

By request of the board of aldermon the chairman of the representative council will call a meeting of that body very soon to take action on the report of the Easton's Beach committee and to consider other business. At the meeting of the board of aldermen on Tours-, day evening Alderman Mahoney thought that the city council of 1901 and no right to bind the city to purchase the buildings on the Beach at the expiration of the lease and believed that the city could order the lessees to remove the buildings without delay.

The navel apprentices from the Train. ing Statton held their regular weekly practice march through the city on Thursday afternoon and presented a fine appearance. Some fine marching was required to pass a large team standing on Thames street while the brigade was in bollow square formation, but the boys seemed able to march ou the sidewalk as well as to the street.

the Kuights of Pythias of Fall River on Wederday evening, November 6. They will take with them a number of candidates upon whom the order will be conferred by the Lodge in Fall River. It is expected that there will be some fifty members of Redwood to go on the trip.

The rain of the past week has raised the water in the various ponds to prac-tically their normal level for this season of the year. There is now more water on hand than there has been for the past four or five years, and everybody feels much relieved in consequence. Now we can afford to have a little good weather without everybody taying that we need the rain.

There are already eighty-six divorce cases on the docket for trial at the Decemier session of the Superior Court. There have been many new petitions filed since the October session of the court, many Newport County couples apparently finding themselves mismated.

Miss Elizabeth V. Tubley of this city and Mr. Martin Bernard Taylor of New York were united to marriage at St. Marv's Rectory on Sunday evening. Their wedding trip will take them to Uslifornia and on their return they will teside in New York where the groom is espoiend of bagegag

The big guns from the forts have been fired this week with the result that there has been plenty of noise in Newport. The damage from either the mortar betterles or from the big guns M Fort Wetherill was not as much as some expected, but the sound was plainly heard.

A Quiet Campaign,

Thus far the political cambaign for State honors to 1911 seems to be a quiet one in Newport, although in other parts of the State It is one of the livetieat lo years. There is little political talk heard on the streets and bein sides erem to be resting quictly, atthough there is every likelihood that things will warm up very materially in the few days that remain before the election. Both pelitical parties are now devoting much of their attention toward security the payment of the personal property taxes, which must be done in order to allow these tax payers to vote. The last day for paying personal property taxes is October 31st, and all those who have not paid them when the day comes to a close will have their unines stricken from the voting lists-The board of aldermen will hold their thurl meeting as a board of canvassers the next morning, and the liets as then approved will be the ones used at the election on Tuesday, November 7th.

There will be several railles in this city next week. Odd Fellows Hall has been engaged by the Republicans for Monday evening when the first raily will be held. Former. Congressman William Pajue Sheffield will preside, and the other speakers will include Herbeit A. Rice, numtuee for attorney, general; Col. Ambiosa Kennedy, member of the House from Wooncocket; and Max Lavy, candidate for the House from the tuird district of this city. There will be music by a brane band.

On Thursday evening the eighth annual dinner of the Young Men's Republican Club will be held at Resity Hell, and this will really be the big feature of the fall campaign. Seate will be placed for about 450 diners, and the menu will be rerved by Muonchanger. There will be music by the Ray Goff orchestra, and as usual there will be two "hymne" to be sung by the assembly. President Edward A. Shermen of the club will preside and will act as touttmaster. The other speakers will include Governor Arem J. Pothier, Congressman George H. Utter, and a least one other well known speaker from out of the city.

There will probably be a rally of the Demogratic party some time next week, when Lowis A. Waterman, the uomines for Governor, and other cau-didnes will probably be heard upon State lasues. It is the intention of the Democratic management up the river to cover all parts of the State with their speakers and a hard campaign has been laid out.

In the interest in the State election. the matter of the city election to be held a month later has not been lost eight of. There are already two auhounced candidates for Mayor and there is a strong likelihood of at least a third before the time for fiting nomination papers closes. Alderman Jeremish P. Mahoney has announced that he is a oun lidate for the office, and this has been followed by a similar an-nouncement from ex-Mayor Frederick P. Garrettson. As it is expected that Mayor Patrick J. Boyle will remain in the contest to the end, a three-cornered fight is likely. There has also been some talk about the choice of aldermen from the different wards, especially in the third, where Alderman Mahonev will not be again a contestant. - Several unmes have been mentioned for the Redwood Lodge No. 11, K. of P., of office, among them being Representa-this city will make a fraternal visit to tive Robert B. Franklin and Hon. Robert C. Cottrell, both former Mayors, They are both Republicans, but the Democrats will certainly have a candidate and the name of Thomas B. Connolly has been heard used in this connection. No nomination papers have yet been filed at the City Cerk's office but as coon as the State election is on, of the way interest in municipal politics will increase with a rush.

> Grand Chancellor M. B. McMillen and a full board of grand officers paid an official visit to Redwood Lodge, No. 11, Knights of Pythias, in this city on Friday evening of last week. A social session followed the business meeting and a buffet lunch was served.

Roy. George Vernon Dickey, rector of St. George's Church, has started on a vacation of three weeks which will give him an opportunity to recuperate from the effects of his recent operation at the Newport Hospital.

Brand Regent George F. O'Shaunersy of Providence, with a full board of grand officers, paid an official visit to Coronel Connell, No. 63, Royal Areanum, lu this city on Friday evening.

The Civic League has sent out an appeal to the men of the city to raily to the support of the organization and the work that it is doing for the benefit of the city of Newport.

Mr. George R. Agassiz has sent to Superintendent fault a check for \$350 for the use of the Coles and Townsend Schools.

Mrs. Mowry, wife of Hon. Sumner Mowry, Senstor from South Kingslown, was a visitor in the city on ThursDeath of Ida Lewis.

Mrs. Ida Lewis Wilson, known to thousands of newspaper readers all over the land as the "Grace Darling of America," died at her home at Lime Rock Light on Tuesday evening after an illuses of only a few days. Last Suturday morning she suffered a paralytic stroke and was found unconscious on the floor by her brother, who was her assistant at the light. He immediately came satiors and summoned a physician, Dra Bherman and Bullivan attended her, but they realized at once that there was practically no hope of her recovery. She remeined in an unconscious condition, failtug steadly antil her death. Reports of her coudition were watched with the closest interest by thousands of people who answ of her only by reputation, while many prominent persons who had known her personally sent messages of condolence or called in person to express hope for her recovery.

There were few women to this part of the country who were better known. to the public than Ida Lewis. A generation ago her deeds of herolem were more familiar than they are to the younger persons of to-day. Medals from Congress, from humane societies, from State Legislatures, a gift from the people of the city of Newport, the thanks of a President and a Vice President of the United States expressed to person, all tend to show in what mane people of the United States appreciated the deeds of herotem that were performed by the young girl was made her home at Lime Rick Light. And yet in spite of all this public commendation, her head was never turned by the approval of the public. She continued to the end a simple-minded woman carrying on her daily work without orientation, disliking to talk of her errands of rescue, but ready at an instant's notice to place her lower life to dlie hezard if she might be of aid to some person in distress. She was faithful to ber important trust as keaper of the light until the very end, and met death as she had wished, quietly at her home before there had been any change of management there. Ida Lewis was born in this city on

February 25, 1812. Her father was Captain Hoses Lewis, who came from Hingham, and her mother was a native of Black Island. There were four children, of whom lds was the second. When it was decided that a light was needed on the Lime Rock, Captain Hosea Lewis, who was a well known captalu and pilot, was appointed to have charge of it. There was no established fight house on the rock then and he was obliged to row out in the evening to set the light and in the morning to extinguish it. Many times this duty feil to bis daughter Ida and she became accomplished in the use of a After three years, the lighthouse was built on the rock, and in July, 1857. Cantain Lewis took his family there to reside. Withiu a few mouths he was stricken, with Illness and be came a helpless paralytic, but continued bis office as light keeper, the duties of the position being filled by his wife and his daughter Ida. During the greater part of the 25 years that her father lived, Ida Lewis was the active keeper of the light and after his death she was officially appointed to the posttion, an unusual honor for a woman.

In 1859 when Ida Lewis was only eventeen years of age she first came into public notice by her rescue of four young men, members of prominent Newport families, whose cat boat upset near the light. The men were struggling in the water when she beard their eries for help and put out in her row boat. She succeeded in rescuing all four of the men. In the late sixtles bardly a year went by that the young light keeper was not called out to aid persons in distress on the water. In March, 1869, her most notable rescue was made, when she saved two Fort soldiers whose bost upset in the harbor. A gale was blowing, the air was bitter cold, and the snow fell in clouds but she was not dannted by the almost impossible conditions and succeeded in bringing both men in safety to the light. It was then that the people eemed to wake up to the beroic deeds that were being performed by this young woman, and acknowledgments of

her bravery ponted in upon her. The Life Saving Benevolent Association of New York pave her a silver medal and a check for \$100. Resolutions of appreciation were passed by the General Assembly of Rhode Island. The men at Fort Adams raised a fund of money which was presented to Ida Lewis by Major General Hunt, the commanding officer. The people of the city of Newport raised a fond by popular subscription and purchased a handsome row boat, which was presented to her on July 4. 1869, the presentation speech being made by Francia Brinley, and Col. Thomas Wentworth Higgingan replied on behalf of Miss Lewis.

Later Ida Lowis was made a member of the American Legion of Honor and was awarded the gold Cross of Honor. Medala were given to her by

the New York and by the Massachusetts Humane Societies, and Congress voted hera gold medat, which presented by Admiral then Commander, French E. Chadwick. A silver tempot was presented to her by the soldlers at Fort Adams, and she had many other gifts; among them a pension from the Carnegie fund. By her dealer all her medals and letters will be turned over to the Newport Historical

Society for preservation. Her work of rescue was never abandoned, eyen with advancing years, and she was always ready to answer the she had saved not less than eighteen lives of men who would surely have gone to their death but for her timely

In 1870 Ida Lewis was united in marriage to William H. Wilson of Black Rock, Conn., Lat after a few months of married life she returned to her home here. For more than a quarter of a century her husband has not been heard from, and it is not known whether he is living or dead.

The remains were brought to this city on board a launch Friday morning, and the body lay in state to the Thames Street M. E. Church until the hour for holding the services. At two olclock Rev. W. F. Geliler, pastor of the church, sasisted by Rev. Stanley C. Hughes, conducted, the funeral services which were of a highly impressive unture. There was a wealth of flowers from persons in all walks of life, including a large number of claborate set pieces. The attendance at the funeral was very large, many soldiers coming over from Fort Adams especially to attend. The Seventh Artillery Band was stationed outside the church and played several hymns during the service.

The body bearers were men from the Coast Artillery at the Fort and the honorary bearers were Measts. Charles Schoenneman, John H. Brierley, Usp. tain Thomas Shes, James McLeishi Captain Frow B. Garnett, and A. Wright Alared.

New Shoreham Disabled.

The steamer New Bhorebam, operating between Providence, Newport and Block Island, was put out of commission in a rather peculiar accident that bappened in Newport barbor last Saturday afternoon. Owing to a break in the shaft the steamer crashed into the City of Fall River white coming up to her dock, sud will have to have extensive repairs on the dry dock before the is ready for service again.

The New Shoreham, had made her rug from Block Island to Newport without incident and the officers prepared to make the usual landing at the south dock at Long wharf. When the eignal was given from the deck to the engine room to reverse the engine there was no response and the aleamer proceeded with little diminished headway across the dock and crashed into the steamer City of Fall River which was lying there. The bow of the New Shoreham struck the stern of the Fall River and cut a deep gash. Efforts were at once made to haul the New Shoreham out, but her bow was wedged in with the compact and it was not until several small yessels had hitched onto her that she was pulled out. Water was then making quite rapidly and she was at once beached on the flats nearby, pending time for A MICTE COM plete examination of the damage done.

Sunday morning a diver went down and made an examination of the condition under water. The vessel was taken to the Oity wharf and there sufficient patching was done to enable the steam. er to be taken to a dry dock where more extensive repairs will be made. The accident was probably due to the fact that an obstruction was struck before the New Shorenam reached her dock which disabled the shaft and made it impossible to reverse her. Steamer Block Island is taking the place of the New Shorebam on the Block Island ruo.

The old wooden platform at the Forty Steps has been removed and a new concrete platform has been substituted. thus tending to make the place safer as well as neater in appearance. The old wooden steps at the base of the iron steps have also been replaced by granolithic steps. The space in front of the fron railing at the top will be sown to grass before spring, and the whole neighborhood will be greatly improved by the change.

Hon. Zenns W. Blies, Lieutenant Governor of Rhode Island, came to Newport for a fiebing trip on Wednerday and carried home a fine lag of blackfish that he landed off Beavertail. The fishing is excellent now, better than it has been all summer.

dealer on a charge of selling digareties to a minor, a fine of \$5 and costs being imposed in the police court. The com-plaint came from the school department, a number of boys belog found with eigarettes lately.

The police have prosecuted a local

Easton's Beach Lease.

Committee Reports Two Plans, with Recommendation that the People Have Opportunity to Vote on Them-One Plan Calls for Expenditure of \$100,000, the Other \$15 -000-Board Walk and Other Improvements Planned. The committee from the board of al-

dermen to whom was entrusted the duty of considering a new lease of Earlon's Beach, presented their report to the full board on Thursday evening. The document is a long one and goes into the history of the Beach at some detail. The policy of the present lessees of the Beach comes in for some condemuation, and the value placed upon the buildings which the city is required to buy is hardly taken seriously. After telling what the committee found at the various well known résurts that were visited last sûmmer, two plant for the improvement here are presented. One calls for an elevated concrete walk, 2000 feet long and 20 feet wide, mt a 'cost of \$60,000. other plan testinilar, except the walk is to be of plank at a cost of \$82,000. The recommendation calls for the removal of the old bath butines to make room for new ones. The Beach is to be reuted in large sections to parties who will erect buildings in accordance with the general acheme of the city. There is provision for the reservation of a playground for children, and also for the reservation of a hotel site, with the understanding that the building that might be erected thereon should be exempted from taxation for a period of

The report opens with a history of the leading of the Beach since 1850; with more extended mention of the awardlug of the lease to the present holders to 1888 and again to 1901, the leesees expressing themselves as publicapitated eltizens who desire no further return on their investment than the return of the capital with five per cent interest.

Considerable space is devoted to the management of the Beach at the piecent time. The bath houses are well kept but antiquated. The method of cleaning the suits after use is censused. The toilets are all right, but would be better scattered along through the builds ings then lumped in one place. An estimate of the receipts of the lessees is made by the committee, placing the amount received from houses at \$11 300 aunually. The receipts from reuting bathing suits is estimated to be enough to pay the help. In addition there are the receipts from sale of novelties, etc. and the rental of concessions. The conduct of the Beach is criticised

as follows: Theprices charged for apartments and costumes are too high; the life goard to locufficient: the Beach is opened too late and closed too early; the care of the beach front is neglected, as evidenced by clams and seaweed; the provision for furnishing suitable actusements has not been complied with. The committee believes that the buildings that the Beach Company now values at \$47,268 are practically the same as were offered to the city ten years ago for \$18,-000.

Several communications addressed to the committee are attached, their general purport being a desire to avoid a 'Coney Island."

The plans presented are as follows:

Your committee recommends that the city buy the buildings at the beach, as it must under the terms of the lesse about to expire, at the price to be fixed by the appraisers, the buildings to be then sold by the city at the best price obtainat le

submit the following two plans of improvements:-

PLAN I.

This plan provides for the clearing of much of the space now occupied by the much of the space now occupied by the private bath houses and the erection thereon of a pavilion with roof shade. This pavilion would serve as the entrance to the beach and would be large enough to accommodate both the people

trance to the teach and would be large enough to accommodate both the people arriving and those leaving the brach.

From the east end of this new payiton, this plan embodies the exection of a concrete promenade, extending in an easterly direction, about on the line of the present wooden walks, for a distance of 2000 feet, ending about half way between the end of the present east extion and the powder house.

This promenade should be twenty feet in width and elevated to a height of about seven feet in the clear. At suffable intervals of space there should be resting plazzas jutting out from the maio walk and provided with seats and roof shade. At other points concrete stans or steps would lead to the sand. The beach front of the walk to be provided with an ornamental fron rail

The beach front of the walk to be provided with an oroamental iron rail guard fence. We estimate the cost of such a promenade at \$60,000.

We recommend that the land on the north side of promenade be leared for a term of years in large sections. It is also our recommendation that the Board of Aldermen secure competitive plants of buildings to be erected at the beach and those successful in competing for sections obliged to put up buildings in accordance with whatever general plan of the whole which may be accepted, thus ensuring a uniform plan of architecture, doing away with the possibility of shacks of allculots, chapes and sizes.

We recommend that part of the beach be reserved for a hotel site and if a cultivate reserved for a hotel site and if a cultivate reserved for a hotel site and if a cultivate reserved for a hotel site and if a cultivate reserved for a hotel site and if a cultivate reserved for a hotel site and if a cultivate reserved for a hotel site and if a cultivate reserved for a hotel site and if a cultivate reserved for a hotel site and if a cultivate reserved for a hotel site and if a cultivate reserved for a hotel site and if a cultivate reserved for a first reserved for a cultivate reserved for a cultivate

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deelgn and provided with adequate hot and cold sait and fresh water shower hathe and equipped with necessary tollet facilities. Provision should also be made

for a private bath house section.
The grounds siljotolus the buildings and the spaces south of the roadway to the creek should be faid out in an ar-

the creek should be laid out in an artistic manner by a land-cape gardener. There is ample room for an eurlosed children's playground. This should be far the use of thay punger children and many of the devices which tend to make the playgrounds popular could be installed. Under competent care and supervision, such as has characterized the conduct of the playgrounds in use to this city, this space could be made a most attractive spot for the young people.

The committee does not submit a list of what is desirable to the of what is desirable in the line of amusements as it feels that this can better be done when your honorable body receives bids. The bidders can then be obliged to stre just what they propose to install and opents and the opportunity will then be had of barring soything of an objectionable universe.

usture,
We submit and attach hereto g pho-We submit and attach hereto g prolograph of the beach at Lisududo,
Wa've, showing a promeinde which
will give sometalling of an idea of what
the compittee has in mind. The committee is undebted to Dr. H., R. Storer
for this as well so for other photographa.
It is our estimate that the cost of
Plan I would be \$100,000.

PLAN 2.

Plan 2 is substantially the same as Plan 1, with the exception that in Plan 2 a wooden board walk is substituted

The control was a substituted for the concrete profite plan, holinding all the improvements other than the concrete promenade mentioned in Plan I, should not exceed \$75.000, the cost of a second substitute of the cost of a wooden walk being estimated at \$32,-

ooo.

For both plans, we would recommend that profits should be made to have the buildings erected at the beach revert to the city at the expiration of the various leaves.
We submit here with plane of both.

the concrete and wooden promenades and for these as well as the fluoreson the cost of construction of same we are indepted to they Engineer William H. Lasvion.

In order to ascertain the opinion of the citizens as to which of the two plans they consider the better suited to beach, we recommend that at the election is be field in December next, the be given the opportunity, as is their right, of expressing their preference.

The County Fair in the Y. M. C. A. building opened on Thursday and contioued notil Friday night. There was a large exhibition of things to buy, to ree and to test, and the attendance has been very good. The main display of booths was to the boys' lobby whereseven temporary booths had been set up for the ease of fancy grods, linen, cake, candy, aprone, domestic articles. and flowers. These are in charge of Mrs. George H. Bryant, Mrs. Robert. Franc, Mrs. Willam H. Tibbette, Mrs. George H. Burlow, Mrs. William: H. Easton, Miss Mary A. Hazard, and; Mrs. John C. Scubery, respectively. In the basement was a fine display of flowers, fruits, vegetables, etc., and a Rear grabian of gap; par-

Two young men from Boston came to Newport Wednesday afternoon and visited Hart's bookstore. Their suspictous actions esused a notification to the police and they were apprehended on lower Thames street by Inspector Toble. He landed one of them but the other get away. In the police court on Thursday the man caught gave his name as Frank Waterman and pleaded not guilty to a charge of being an idle person. In default of ball he was held for trial nutil October 31st.

Hoseman A. S. Carr, of Company No. 1, received a severe shaking up by being thrown from the bose wagon as it turned from Breadway 10to Gould street Wednesday morning. He was able to go to his home alone and the accident had no serious effects. The company was responding to an alarm. from box 211 on Halsey street. The fire was confined to an ash barrel and the damage was represented by a cipher.

The members of Weenst Shassit l'ilbe of Red Men have fixed a price on their land on Mary street which the city of Newport is contemplating to purchase for action purposes. The owners propose to retain a strip of the land on the west side to give access to their other property.

The voting booths for use in the small voting districts at the city election are being prepared for use. The contract for repairing, setting up and taking down the booths has been awarded to John Dillon for \$53. The booths will remain in place until after the city election in December.

Misa, hargaret Baker, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Darius Baser, was operated upon for appendicitis on Wednesday. She is doing as well as could be expected.

Work has been begun on the new Wellington avenus parkway, which was recently given to the city, and by epring it will present a very attractive appearance.

The markets and groceries closed for the half-holiday Thursday afternoon, ting be exempted from taxreton for a term of ten years.

The bathing pavilions, of which there should be at least two and of trajects.

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THE MAN HIGHER UP

By HENRY RUSSELL MILLER

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CHAPTER XI.

THE LABY, OF DREAMS, III: convention had been adjourned. Robert McAdoo was the Republican nominee for mayor. And Paul Remington had met the lady of his dreams. Sanger had brought him to her and performed the introduction. Afterward be had left, pleading a business engage-

Elegnor for a few minutes watched the crowd as it slowly passed out from

the theater. Then she turned to Paul.
"I shall not congratulate you," she
is said gravely. "I paid you a better compoliment while you were speaking. Aro you ready to say, 'Now let me dio?' "No," he answered with equal grav-iy, "I am ready to say, 'Now let me

live. I have met you at last."

She raised her hand protestingly. "Please don't spoil my impression of you. You were wonderful. I have heard of orators swaying audiences to their will, but I never before realized "what it media. My brother tells mo

Paul took a keen pleasure in his honesty as he resisted temptation and answered lightly: "Oh, not The result would have been the same without it my speech. It was such an absurdly impossible (rick, that of bribing Hemcuway off and buying up his delegates Its success depended upon their catching Bob mapping. They didn't know the old fellow. All I did was to furnish a reason for an action strongly determined upon."

"Ah!" she said regretfully. "Then it was all plumed beforehand?" Every stept"

"Even to your speech?"

He nodded smilingly. "You know, worth giving that wasn't prepared beforeigned. Every word of that speech was written out and memorized verba-

t. Then all those burning words were a sham, all that display of splendid passion a theatrical trick to save a man not worthy""No, nel" he broke in eagerly. "All

And Rob—you don't know him. He is

"Spare me," she impatiently inter-repare me," she impatiently inter-repared "I heard that once before—in your speech. I am frankly disappoint—ed. I believed you a genuine master spirit, compelling us to see the truth. Now, I see you are only a clever actor, tricking us into ignoring the truth." Fireking us into ignoring the truth."
She drew a deep breath.
"Please dep't go yet," he begged.
"I have something to say to you. Do
"you believe in pre-existences?"
"Decidedly not. I'm fairly healthy.
"And: healdes, the present existence."

And; besides, the present existence

demands all my attention."

"What would you say if I were to tell you that although I have just met. you and have seen you but twice before so far as I can remember 1 seem

for so far as I can intended to the Archive known you always?"

She shrugged her shoulders again, a fashion she had. "I'm sorry—you will forgive me, Mr. Remington?—I'm not forgive me, Mr. Remington me, Mr. Remingt deeply impressed-and a bit incredu-

"I didn't expect you to be impressed," be answered quietly, "and I'm not proposing-yet. But, Mrs. Gilbert"-his head went up, eyes thashing-"I'm not a sentimental fool. I am to be taken

seriously." "Why don't you go on the stage?" ahe fleered.

Paul looked at her uncertainly for a moment; then his gravity was cast aside as a cloak. He made some inconsequent answer and promptly led the talk into other and lighter channels, enrelessly She was not quite free from the spell he had woven about her during his speech. Something in the man broke down her habit of cold indifference to men, and put her on her mettle. She strove to meet his occasional witty sallies in kind, sometimes with a sucwhen their badinage assumed a more personal tone, she protested.

"We're talking as though we were old friends," she said.

"Of course," he responded calmly, "we are. That was written long ago."
"You have many friends?" she querted curiously.

"I have been lucky in the matter of friends." "And do you give them all the same

remantic appreciation and return you professed for Mr. McAdeo, or was that part of the play acting too? I can't see what you find in common with one who, my brother tells me, is typical of the very worst in our poll

"I forgot you are of the enemy," hu laughed and added more soberly: "Your brother is wrong. There may have been regrettable things in Rob's earlier career. But in the six years I have known him I have seen little of the dirty politician. His victories have been won chiefly by his courage and resourcefulness and the fact that men, whether they like him or not, instinctively trust him and follow him. If he has reserted to questionable tacties it has been only to meet similar methods of the opposition. And his victories have been very much to the

advantage of this city." "And to the advantage of his loyal friend, I suprose," she suggested inquiringly. "You are no doubt-I'm very ignorant of politics-some one very important, a high officer, congressman, at least?"

"Oh, no. I'm only a senator of the common or garden variety, a very un-

important member of our state legis-

While he has become boss," she added. "It seems"

'Don't, Mrs. Gilbert, I beg of you," he interrupted gravely. "It would be disloyal for me to listen to such suggestions even from you. The least I can do is to trust him. I could fill a higher position, and I often chafe over my slow climb. If I were to justst be would help me to the best in his power to give. But his judgment and his heart are to be trusted. You shall know him, and then you will under-stand why I trust him so absolutely."

"Thank you, not" she said indiffer-ently. "I approve of your loyalty, of course. But I saw your friend this afternoon, and, frankly, I don't think I should like him. I don't care to

She stonged suddenly, and both looked up startled, feeling another's presence. It was Bob who had come into



BHE STOFFED SUDDENLY, AN LOOKED UP STARTLED. the box, unnoticed by them. To both Paul and Eleanor it was as though a cloud had passed across the face of the

Bob, standing motionless in the rear of the box, looked steadily at Eleanor with coldly hosille eres. And Eleaner, startled, but not disconcerted, returned his with a glanco tuto which sho strova

In with a ginee into which she between to put amusement.

Paul sought to take into his hands what threatened to be a situation.

"It's fate, Mrs. Olibert," he said, with

a laugh which he tried to render easy. "Let me present our next mayor. Mrs. Glibert, Rob, has just avowed her alli-nice with the enemy. We must con-

'Why?" Hob answered crudely, with-

dut changing his regard.
And somehow, as he said it, Bob's monosyllable carried a sling for sharper than its crude surface frony. It put her strangely on the defensive, and theretofore, with men, Mrs. Elennor Gilbert had always been mistress of the situation. She tried to answer with

indifference.
"You have so many enomies that one more or less cannot disturb you."

"I have many." "And the habit of beating them, I

bellovo?' "I believe so," he answered steadily.

"But Hob doesn't make war on wom-en." Paul . Interrupted with nervous

engerness. "Too small game, I suppose," she said with the mocking upward inflec-

"It has never been necessary," Bob responded, unmoved by her sarcasm. And Fleanor, beaten, gave up the hattle of eyes. Yet there was defiance in her lauch as she said:

'Mr. McAdoo would be as merciless to a woman as to any other enemy, I

fancer. But I must go."
This time Paul did not protest.
The two men followed her silently out of the theater to the street. As she' was about to step into the mobile she gathered her courage for a

last effort. "It has been a very interesting aft-"It has been a very interesting atternoon. I thank you—both." She gave flob a feeting, nucking look and turned to Paul. "Come and see me, Mr. Remington. We will discuss politics. Good afternoon, Mr. McAdoo." And she was rapkily whirled away.

Paul drew a deep breath. "I don't

Paul drew a deep breath. "I don't better. She's wonderful."

She's the deril! Bob growled. Paul did not answer this outburst.
"Let's have a drink," he suggested.
"I'm limp as a rag. You've got to

break over this time, old man."

Safe in the seclusion of the booded automobile, Eleanor Gilbert was re-

peating half in amusement, half in resentment; "What a man! My dear, you caught

It that time. And you deserved it. What a man!" She did not refer to Paul.

> CHAPTER XII. DISCONTENT.

N the tailest of the city's skyscrapers, in the highest story of said building, were, as the letters on the ground glass door announced, the law offices of Paul Remington. The term "law offices" was perhaps a misnomer, for upon Paul had fallen the distrust which the business public often feels for the political lawrer, and the bulk of his practice consisted principally in caring for the legal end of Bob's business ventures and in helping their political friends out of police

Only the presence of Miss Myrtle Jones, stenographer, reminded you that this was a legal center.

On this particular morning some two weeks after the convention Miss Jones was early at her post. Bob entered with a curt greeting. He was

accompanied by Haggin, who were a

sheepish grin. "Well," he said, "they sure did put

the bug on us last night."
"So I've been told," Bob remarked dryly. "Bit down." Haggin sat down on the window sill

-it was more comfortable than Bob's chairs-and crossed his hands over his capacious paunch. "Malassey's out

"Yes." And Bob's teeth came together with an audible click. "He's
been walting there for some time. That's why I sent for you. Tom, how thuch is he worth in the Seventh?

"Well, he's worth a good deal. All that Democrat bunch follow him like sheep. 'Au' the Seventh is a Democrat ward."

"Then you think he's really impor-

"Un-hub!" Hoggin agreed. "Biggest mon in the word. Paul's the only man that ever could touch bin. An' even Paul can't knock sense into a Democrat when he gets set. But, say, you

'I'm going to knock a little sense into one Democrat." He touched a button, and Miss Jones opened the

"Mitss Jones, will you ask Malassey to step in? And, Miss Jones, it Mr. Remington should come in, please hold him until I can see him. I rely on

Mainsacy was a type of the professional "mixer," a big, red faced fellow with a bloff, bolsterous manner that passed for good feltowship among the undiscerning. One eye was set slight-ly lower than its fellow. Bob greeted him with a curl not and lolled back in his chair. Haggin grimly ignored the chirance of the newcomer. Ma-

the edge of a chair.
"I'm mighty sorry about the conven-tion, Mr. McAdeo," he began cagerty.

Bob chuckled. "I see. I really think he'd better hunt another job, Tom."
Malassey sprang to his feet, pale and trembiling. "Before God, Mr. McAdoo," he began with nervous venemence, "I

Hob came sharply upright in his

Before God. Malassoy," he said harshly, "you did. You were to go into the Demogratic nominating com-mittee and help get me their inderse-

ment. But you didn't."
"It's a lie, whoever says it," Malassey cried. "I yoted for you, and the

sey cried. "I voted for you, and the record'll prove it."
"Yes, you voted for me when the committee was safely against me. You took a filer in double dealing, Malassoy. It has notted you a thousand dollars, and that's all. The mayor expects your resignation at once. Good morning, Malassey."

An hour later Paul came in and threw himself wently on one of Bob's uncomfortable chalts.

"Well," he said moodily, "you lost that trick." "I'm not infallible," Bob returned

calmly. "And they played this hand better than the last one." Paul nodded. "Yes. But why, in heaven's name, did they pick out Har-

hand? He's a good man and inde-pendent. They can't control him."
"Yes, he's all that, and he'll make a good run, which is more to the point. He's the only man in the city who stands a chanco against us."

"But where do they come in between Bob shrugged his shoulders. "Any

port in a storm. They prefer to take their chances with him rather than

Paul sprang to his feet and began to pace the floor nervously. "They'll use bim to break you, and then they'll break him. They are relentless—and pattent. It's an invincible combination. Good God, Bob, what an enemy you are fighting! You're a big man, but you're a pygmy beside them. You're won out so far, but that is be-cause they baven't really taken you seriously. But now you've taught them what you are, and they are determined to crush you."

He sat down again dejectedly. "Do you know, I've a terrible presentiment that we're going to lose this time."
"Do you mean that you don't care

to help me out in this fight?".

Faul struct to Bob's side and placed his hand affectionately on the latter's

shoulder. "Of course not, old man,

you in this scrimmage and in every other you ever go into, but while we are working out our plans here in the state can't I have the chance to work out mine in a separate field where I can act for myself and in my own way? Bob, if you're elected-and of course you will be in spite of my pre-sentiment—why can't I take Gerwig's place on the ticket this fall and go to rongress?"

Bob shook his head. "Why not?" Paul demanded petu-

"In the first place, I have promised

Gerwig. In the second"-You can get Gerwig to step aside." "I can," Nob said quietly, "but it's a rule of mine to keep my word in such

in the second place, it will mean six years wasted. cigar. Now sit down and we'll discuss this thing rationally." Paul lighted his eight and sat down, putting nervously.
"You go to congress—what happens?

You'll find yourself shunted off to one side, a bushel basket chapped over your head, bound, muzzled. I can imagine no sadder fate for you than to be muz-

Paul laughed. "We can agree on that anyhow. Go on."

"It's worse even than that. Even the machine congressman has no real power. He must take his orders just as legislator must take orders from the state boss. There aren't a half dozen men in both houses who hold even a shadow of power, and they have that only as agents for those back of them. If you're content with being a figurehead, with having only the appearance of induence, go about to congress and ponentity. But you must pay the price." He paused, smoking meditatively,
"Go on," Paul oxclaimed impatient-

ly, "The orice"—
"The only thing in the world worth "The office"-

having—real power."

"Real power—17" Paul laughed almost bitterly. "What power have 1? How do people think of me? What have I been? One of your many underiloga, your puppel".

Bob was so near to auger "Stop!" that l'aul was startled, "That's enough of this old woman's chatter. You've been listening to bad counsel, You'd be a miserable weakling if you didn't possess influence after the chances you have had. The trouble with you is that things have come so easily you don't realize their value. What power have you? You've been in the legislature four years, and you're the only legislator in a generayou to his made himself a force to be reckened with. If you want to know what power you have go over to the other side and heat me!"

The petulant discontent on Paul's face gave way to amazed, incredulous delight and pride. "You mean?" be

"I mean." Hob answered guletly, "that means," Paul exciaimed, "that

you, Bob McAdoo, are in my hands, to make or to break.".

"That's true." Paul sprang to his feet with a passionate gesture. "But, after all, I have power only because you have given it to me. Therefore it is yours. We will use it together, Rob. You've been a finer friend than I realized. But I realize it now, and I shan't for-

"All right," Bob said, shifting uncomfortably under this demonstration. Then you give up this congress fool-

'Of course. You're right, as usual. Six years ago I couldn't have given it up. Then the appearance of impor-tance was enough. But that is ended. The superficial sensationalist is dead and buried forever I hope. Now I want to be a real man, an original

Bab turned from him to look out of the window. "If I hadn't thought it was in you I shouldn't have taken you up," he said graffly. Then he wheeled sharply on Paul. "But is what you may true? Is the sensationalist put away forover?'

Paul flushed painfully. "Ahi You have sounded me truly—as truly as a man can who is bimself genuine and man can who is himself genuing and clear as crystal. But this time it is true. I tell you it must be true. I have a reason you don't know."
"Oh, yes," Bob answered. "I know

your reason. If you're not careful that woman will marry you."

"If only she could be persuaded to do it. How did you guess?"
"A blind man can read it. You have all the symptoms of a man sickening



THEN I AM THE MOST ABJECT OF SLAVES," ly, asininely in love. But don't do it, Paul. You say you want to be a real man. Be a whole man too. Don't

Paul laughed tolerantly cept supreme happiness? Why not?' "Why not cut your life in two? Why not waste your strength on several oblectives instead of concentrating it on Why not become a slave to the whims and needs of a wife and fam-"Thep," cried Paul, "I am the most

abject of slaves." "You are, and to a woman who"-

"Bobl Stop1" And Bob, wondering, paused. For in the man before him he saw, not Paul-Paul, the tempestuous, the dramatic, the somewhat florid—but a stranger, a

momentarily inflexible, forceful man who spoke quietly without rhetorical flourish and commandingly. "Rob," the stranger said simply, "you

and I have never quarreled, and I owe you too much to quarrel with you now But even you must say nothing harsh about Mrs. Gilbert. I know what she is, a woman who has suffered. There isn't a thing in her history to shame And a man finds it hard to talk of such things to another, but I love her, and if she will have me I shall marry her. Please realize that I'm in carnest in this. I think we'd better not discuss it any more." He quietly left the office. "She shau't have you," Bob muttered

savagely.

CHAPTER XIII. THE GAUNTLET.

THEN Eleanor Sanger married she was a bright,

rather highly strung and decidedly spoiled girl of nineteen. Marringe proved a bitter awakening. Six months, revealing to her both in their own intimate relations and in what she learned of his other life the weak sensuality of her busband, sufficed to transform her into a

cold, self contained woman of an acidulous cynicism startling in one of her years. It was the weakness of the man mere than his immorality that repelled her. She herself came of an active, sturdy stock whose yirlility and power of resistance bad not been destroyed by generations of self indulgence. Her experience discovered to her the existence of inherited ideals heretofore dormant in her. In the apparent impossibility of seeing those ideals realized in her own life she was becoming bifter and reckless when the incubus on her life was suddenly removed, two years after her marriage, by the pistol of a jealous Vienuese.

When her uncle reached her he found a stony eyed, icy woman who laughed bitterly at his proffered sympathy, but acquiesced indifferently in whatever he proposed.

Then he atoucd in part for his unwise guidance of her youth. The man-agement of his great business interests he placed in the competent hands of Henry Sanger, Jr., Eleanor's brother, and devoted himself entirely to her. For three years they traveled as her whims dictated. Mr. Sanger, auxiously watching, saw the natural resiliency of youth gradually breaking down her hardness of spirit. Selfish she remained, as was the logical result of a lack of definite purpose in life other than to amuse herself and to forget.

Then Mr. Sanger died, leaving the bulk of his fortune to Henry Sanger, Jr., to Eleanor a comparative pittance. This curtailment of her inheritance was at her request. A quiet year in Germany, spent studying music, fol-lowed, and then she returned to the Steel City to play her part in the mak-ing of Robert MeAdoo.

Late in the afternoon, the day of Bob's talk with Paul concerning her. Mrs. Gilbert sat before a luxurious log fire in her own particular den. In a box by her side was an armful of roses, which she was arranging in a hugo glass bowl. When the roses were be-stowed to her satisfaction she reread the note that had accompanied them, smiling at some sentiment expressed by the writer.

"You poor, romantic boyl" she said aloud. "One expects every minute that your conversation and letters will break into blank verse. I wish-I don't know what I wish," she concluded resontfully, "But, whatever it is, it's fairly certain that I can't baye it. Just as I thought I had achieved content I ment two men absolutely out of my sphere, and the one siles up the old, uncertain longings, which he can't satisfy, and the other stirs up the old wicked recklessness that I had thought

dead forever." She sighed impatiently.

A half hour later she stood by the window, her eyes mechanically following the figure of a man waiking up the street. When the pedestrian came to the Sanger entrance he turned in and walked with swift, decided steps toward the house. Then Eleanor recognized him.

"Oht" she gasped in astonishment and with a hint of dismay in her voice. She hastily left the window. There was a knock at the door, and the butler entered. "Mr. McAdoo to see you, madam."

Thomas," she replied after a moment's hesitation. "And I shall not be at home the rest of the afternoon." Why had Bob come to see Mrs. Glibert? Bob himself was trying to answer the same question. Blindly he felt that one of his possessions was

"Show Mr. McAdoo into the library,

threatened and that he must fight with a woman for supremacy over Paul. 1.
The pertieres were parted, and she stood before him. Bob realized resent-fully that here was a very beautiful woman, far more beautiful than either Kuthleen Film or Mrs. Dunmeade, the only women of finer type he knew. For the fraction of a second while she paused on the threshold there was the name fencing of glances with which they had met in the theater—the advertaries' saluto—then her eyes softened to an amused gleam. While Bob stood atill she went over to blim.

"I've been trying to decide whether this is a pleasant or unpleasant surprise," she smiled quizzically. "Which is it?" She held out her hand.

Bob looked at the outstretched hand and shook his head coldly. The hand was at once returned to her side.

"You persist in the hostile attitude?" pretenses. I dislike you; you dislike me. If we stick to that it will sim-

"How do you know I don't like you?" The amused gleam in her eyes deep-

ened. "God forbld!" he ejaculated involun-"But," he added grimly, farily. "there's no danger."

"Don't be too sure of that," she warned him in gay malice. "You know nothing wins a woman's liking so quickly as resistance. If you're not-careful I may end by liking you. That would be a terrible predicament-if we're to be enemies."

"It would!" "Yes, for you," she flashed back, Because then I should have to make you like me. But don't be nervous. I shan't try. You're more interesting

"I am relieved." She noted with surprise that his ironical bow was easy and not ungraceful. "There have been men who feared

to displease me. Mr. McAdoo." "I've no doubt there are such men." And Rob's tone did not convey a high tribute to the class. "But I don't happen to be one of them."

"Nor am I afraid of you. Mr. Mc-

Adoo," she countered. "I was for one moment that day in the theater. You startled me, having caught me"-"Having caught you in a contemp-tible act." he interrupted quietly. "Trying to cast doubt upon the sincer-

ily of a man who was a total stranger

ta vou." The amused gleam died out of her eyes. She flushed angrily. 'I have a constitutional antipathy

for men of your type, Mr. McAdoo. "People don't do that sort of thing merely because of constitutional an

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you. You had nothing to gain by attacking my molives-of which you could know nothing-or by making Paul Remineton discontented with bis advancement, as you have persisted in doing since. The women I know don't do that sort of thing. Even men of my sort, whom you despise"-there was a trace of bitterness in these last words-"would call it contemptible."

"You are right," she said quietly. 'It was contemptible, and I have been ashamed of myself ever since. I was ashamed when you caught me at it. I had no right to do it, no excuse. anologize."

An ugly succe twisted his mouth as he replied. "It's easy enough to apologize, but what good is it after the mischilef is done?"

"I hardly expected you to be gener-ous," she answered his sucer gravely. "But now-what? You didn't come here merely to convict me of a dishonorable net, I suppose?"

"Hardly. I'm a busy man. I suppose I came to make a useless request'

"What is the request, or is it a command i'

He looked at her steadily for a minute before he answered. She saw the muscles of his jaw tighten. "To let Paul Remington go."

"it seems," she replied mockingly,
"that Mr. McAdoo in spite of his boasted friendship cares nothing for the happiness of his friend."

"You won't understand," he said at last slowly, "when I explain it. You're right when you say I care nothing for his happiness-at least what you mean by the word. You don't mean happiness; Mrs. Gilbert. You mean to glut the appetite, to yield to the mating in-atinet, to follow the lines of least resistance. Only the very strong can afford happiness as you mean it. To a weak man that sort of happiness means crippling his natural force, enslaving himself to outside induences. There is only one true happiness-the content that comes from being a real, original force. The man who would be this, Mrs. Gilbert, must own and control himself absolutely. For Paul Reming-ton's greater, true bappiness I do

"But what about mo?" "He is nothing to you."

"As you mean it, no—just now. But for the future, why not? You never can tell. Mr. Remington is talented. He is magnetic. I like him better than I like most men. It is quite possible that I shall in time develop a deeper interest in him. And, besides, Mr. McAdon, your opposition gives him a new value. Did you forget to consider when you came to ask me to send him away what about my happiness?" concluded her question with a

amile. "Mrs. Glibert, your happiness did not, does not, enter into my calcula-tions at all."

Winter's early dusk was falling outside, leaving only the firelight to light the room. She was very beautiful as the soft glow fell upon her face.

"We're a good deal alike, you and I. Fro have taken everything you want. I've been given everything except the things that count most. We're both very selfish. You make the excuse that you have to be selfish to realize your ambitions. I have the excuse that life hasn't treated me very kind-ly, and neither excuse is valid, I suspect. You're not a slave to conscience, and I-well. I'm afraid I'll never let conscience stand between me and hap-piness. You have few friends. I've had plenty to admire me because I'm not bad to look at and can turn a witty phrase occasionally. But none has ever cared for me because none saw in me those womants qualities which are so much finer than beauty or wit. Paul Itemington seems to fill both our wants. He is your one friend. He cares for me because he thinks I possess qualities I don't possess, but which he-he makes we want to aconire. I'm not in love with him, but I'd like to be. He seems my only hope of escape from becoming the most pittable of creatures-a tonely, cynical, sellish, loveless woman. wonder why i tell you this?" She leaned forward abruptly. "What are

re coing to do about it "That is what I came to find out." "No; you came to tell me what I must do. You put the issue squarely. One of us must retire in the other's face. That amounts to a challenge dozan't it? It's too bad we have this dislike to contend with. Your natural state is fighting, and I suppose you don't mind one fight more. But I don't want to fight for my happiness or possible happiness, especially when I run the risk of tosing it altogether. We both run that risk. Don't you think"-there was the faintest twinkle in her eyes. "don't you think it would be wise, don't you think it would be good politics, to ignore our dislike and

share the spoils?" I think I should have done better to let you die in the mills."

"I don't understand why"—
For an instant the luxurious, firelit library faded away from her sight. She stood amid the grime and roar of the mills. She fell herself caught in an iron grasp which dragged her toward death. Then a strong hand seized her, and she stood before a hot eyed young glant.

"Is it possible? Yes, you are the man who saved me in the mills. It is bard to realize He was an uncouth, ungrammatical young ruffian, as I remember, while you—you are an educated"— She hesitated.

"An educated ruffian," he concluded

deris.

She regarded him with a new respect. a respect which Bob, remembering the girl who had douted him as of a lower order of creation, resented.

"I'm no more than I was then. have more, but I am no more."

A detail of the scene in the mills re-curred to her. "Ahl I remember that I forgot to thank you for saving my That was very ungrateful. I suppose I should do so now. It really

"You needn't thank me. Besides.

he added grimly "It was unintentional, lassure you purely an impulse."

She laughed uncertainty. "But surely you can't expect me to remain at swords' points with the man who saved thy life?"

of my way." "You mean it," she said in a curiously regretful tone. "That is part of you. I remember you said the sains to me that bight in the mills. "Keep out of my way." It explains your life, doesn't it? You have gone steadily, reientlessly forward, brushing aside every one who stood in your way. And now that I seem to interfere with your plans you are quite capable of awceping me saide, or Mr. Remington either, without thought of what it means to us. You are releptless! Suppose," she maked alowly, "suppose ! were to send him away, would you take it as a mark of gratitude for saving my life as a favor to you?"

Bob hesitated. After all, it was the

easiest solution, and sometimes concasion is victory. And she was very beautiful, very alluring, so far out of his reach. With an effort he recalled his resentment against her and the old prideful belief in bis self sufficiency. You owe me nothing, and I

want no favors from you." They both rose, hirs. Gilbert facing him with a lough in her eyes.

"So be it," she sold pleasantly. "I must accept your hostility. You pay me a fine compliment, Mr. McAdoo. The truth is you're jenious-jealous as a schoolgiri, Mr. McAdoo. And afraid -of me. I can be a very dangerous enemy-if i choose. If i should choose to accept your challenge and to take away from you your dearest possession-your bappiness, Mr. McAdooyou would be balpless'to prevent it. You have no weapons to fight me. And you know it. Elso why are you here today?' She laughed.

"I wish to God," his cried bitteriy, "I had let you die in the mills!"

Smiling, she watched him turn and leave her. Then she sat down before the fire, looking into its fiames with amused eves. The gleam of amusement faded into reflectiveness, reflectiveness into wistfulness. She sighed.

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GOUNOD'S TEST. The Budding Comporer Changed His Schoolmaster's Opinion.

When Gouned was at the school of one who was called the good Papa Plerson he was constantly scribbling musical notes. One day the school

"Your parents complain," said Pierson. "They do not wish any musician in their family. You must be a profes-

"Noverl" "Your only choice is between Greek and Lotin."

"But I will be a musician," said Gouned.

"You will? Give it up, I say; it is no profession at all. However, we will just see what you can do. Here's pen and paper. Compose for me a new air to Joseph's words, 'A point an sortir de l'enfance!'

It was the recreation hour. Before the bell sounded for the studies to begin again Gounod came back with his paper completely covered. "Airendy?" cried Plerson. sing it then!"

Gounod sang and accompanied himself and so deeply affected poor Papa Plerson that with tents he pressed him in his arms and exclaimed:

"Oh, my dear boy! Henceforth they what they like, but a musician you shall be and nothing else."-From the German.

Short Stories.

Oil lamps were used in 1021 B. O. The Chinese claim to have discovered america in 449.

Red snow and ball, with red dust. fell in Tuscany on March 13 and 14, 1813.

In a year or two there will be a macadamized belt road system around the island of Hawail. -

It is said that there are but twentyfive or thirty white persons living on the island of Borneo, which is nearly ten times as large as the state of fowa.

That Was Different.

Repeatedly he had beard the young woman boast of cluding the vigilance of the conductor and riding home free, so when he got a chance to sneak a ride for both of them he slipped the dime back into his pocket and smiled upon her in triumph.

"Didn't you may your fare?" she

asked.
"No," said be. "The conductor never even looked our way.
She said nothing, but her look of

disdate was unmistakable. "I've heard you tell many a time of doing the same thing," he said defi-

"Oh, well," she said, "that's differ-

And the young man understood then that there certainly is a double standard for the seres -- New York Sun.

A Caution.

A Caution,
A Caption of the Form of the Madeline of the Form of the Madeline o Giving up family is all right. would be spared a mother-in-law. Give up your position if you can get a better one, but please hold on to your wealth. We may need it.

A Scientific Question.

"Nothing is ever totally lost or de-stroyed," said the professor of physics. "In that case," said the simple and frank person, "bow do you explain the fact that everybody loses umbrellas and you never meet anybody who has found one?"—Washington Star.

Practor Beyond Recovery

Proctor, Vt., Sept. 14.—The con-dition of former Governor Proctor continues critical. Hope for his recovery has been practically abanTRAPPING EAGLES.

The Chinese Get Them With a Balted Net and a Decoy Bird.

Every year, according to an old cus-tom, in the second quarter of the September or October moon, the inhabitants of the Chinese province of Shantung go to Mougolla to hunt the eastes which abound in that region. huntsmen march in troops along the roads, carrying on their shoulders long roles from which are suspended their baggage and provisions and on which are perched tame eagles to be used as

The hunters make use of a large net, spread open on the ground and builted with small dried fishes, in the midst of which is placed a tame cagle. The decoy naturally begins to devour the balt and thus invites its wild cousins to follow its example. When the birds have alighted and are feeding the hunter, from his hiding place two or three hundred yards distant, quickly closes the net by means of cords and thus captures the eagles. Eagle hunting is very lucrative. The

feathers are used in the manufacture feathers are used in the manufacture of fans and are sold at a high prico seven in China. There are three sorts— Kiepel, black with white centers; Che-ma, white spotted with black; Toutsing, half white and half black. Soreral eagles contribute to the making of a fan, for only a small part of the plumage can be utilized; hence these fans are very costly.

ANIMAL EVOLUTION.

Changes in the Partridges of the Ca-

nary Islands.
A remarkable example of the effects of environment and changed coudimale is furnished by a species of par-tridge living in the Cauary islands. Over 400 years ago the Spaniards in-troduced the red legged partridge from Europe into these islands, and the bird bus continued to flourish there; but, as recent examination proves, it bas undergone modifications clearly brought about by the conditions under which

it lives.
Its back has turned from russet color to gray. This looks like protective coloration, since the bird passes

its life among gray volcanic rocks; Its beak has become one-fourth longer and thicker than that of its ancestors and of its European relatives, and its legs also have increased

in length and grown stouter.
These changes are exactly such as were needed to suit it to the life that it is now compelled to lead amid the rocks and on the mountain sides of the islands, where a more rigorous physical development is required than was needed in its former home.—Harpers Weckly.

Mighty Queer.
The negro on occasions displays a fine discrimination in the choice of words, says the National Monthly.

"Who's the hest whilewasher in fown?" inquired the new resident. "Ale Hall am a bo'nd a'tist with a whitewash brush, salt," answered the colored patriarch elequently.

"Well, tell him to come and whitewash my chicken house tomorrow. Uncle Jacob shook his head aubi-

"Ah don't believe, sah, Ah'il engage Ale Hall to whitewash a chicken house, sah." "Why, didn't you say be was a good

whitewasher?"
"Yes, sah, a powe'ful good white-washer, sah, but mighty queer about a

chicken house, sah; mighty queer."

Tennyson's Bird Sounds. Perhaps the best word for the cry of the cricket is that of Tennyson. a cricket chirr'd," he writes in "In Memorism." But Tennyson was always curiously exact in his vocal rendering of the songs of birds. What could be truer to sound than "the mean of doves in immemorial class" Then, doves in inmenioral class? Tues, too, the linnet, the robin and the thrush "pipe," the woodpecker. "laughs," and "mocks," the lark and the plover "whistle." the jay "scritches," the parrot "screams," the peacock "squalls," the blackbird "worbles," while the ocean fowl "shrick" and the cogir

"yelps."--London Graphic. High Finance.
"What makes him look so solemn?
He gets his month's salary tomorrow." "That's just the trouble. His wife and his mother-in law allow him 50 cents a week out of it, and he's trying to make up his mind to strike for a dollar!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Balked. "You got a raise in pay, didn't you?"
"Yes, but it didn't do me any good."

"Why not?" "I talk in my sleep, and my wife found out about it."-Toledo Blade.

Pretty Steady.
"That Jones boy who used to work for you wants to hire out to me. Is he group wants."

he steady?"
"Steady?" If he was any steadier be'd be motionless."—Judge. Great Britain's Great Seal.

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nade of silver, the great seal of Great Britain is kept in the custody of the lord high chancellor, and a new one is prepared for each reign. Actions Every man's actions form a center of influence upon others, and every

deed, however trivial, has some weight in determining the future destiny of the world. Our history contains the name of no one worth remembering who led a life

"Mr. Subbubs, your house is on fire. Hurry home and save your belongines. "Nothing in the house worth saving.

of case.-Roosevelt.

Adown the stream of life, they said, Together peacefully they'd float, But just as soon as they were wed They both began to rock the boat.

Everything we had is loaned out."-Louisville Courier-Journal.

God Blass Our Wives.
One of the best known lawyers in Cleveland attended a banquet of his fraternity the other night and responded to the toast, "Our Wives." On this classic and congenial theme be ex-

panded and fairly glowed. But even after his eloquence fudes from the memories of those present one per-sonal note will remain. He said in "God bless our wives. They know

us from alpha to omega, our secret faults and virtues. But they rise in arms against him who would expose the former or belittle the latter. How well I remember an occasion upon which my own dear wife had me paged in a restaurant where I was cating. She said to the walter, Is Mr. Dash-blank bero? Mr. Dashblank? asked the walter. Is he that fat old man with a red nose and baid head?

"'Yes, that's the man, answered my wife. But I want you to understand that he lin't fat and he lin't old. And he's not very hald, either. I shall re-port you for your inscience. His noso isn't a bit red. Get him for me at once. You evidently know him.' "God biess our wives."—Cleveland

Two Ways Hath Life.
Two ways hath life. One as a stream With flowers environed quits the source. The even tener of its course. Hardly betrayed by transient gleam. No echo marks the onward roll. Of wayes that without plaint or sigh. Winning scant glance from passerby. Unbasting reach the appointed goal.

One as a torrent unconfined a Bursis forth headlong with frenzied will.

No agency its rage can still,
Nor barriers curb, nor forces bind.
The first achieves, the second sime;
One limits huit, the other none,
With every day its task begun—
Patience, ambition, are their names.
—Aifred de Musset.

Jogged His Memory.

Here is the story of an actual experience in buying socks in London:

A wealthy but peppery American went into an expensive Bond street haberdashier's the other day, and when he stated his object the clerk carefully measured the visitor's right foot, and the purchase was made. On his way out the visitor's attention was caught by some heatery near the door. To the clerk, who was obsequiously followof those too.

"Yes, sir," said, "l'il take a pair of those too.

"Yes, sir," said the clerk. "What size do you wear, sir,"

"Why, you pinheaded ass," reminded the other, "do you think my foot has grown since you mensured 11?"
Then the clock remembered.—New York Sun.

Bungled II, After All. Hero's one of Will Irwin's stories, told in that quiet, drawling fashion which scores every point. Two of his feminine friends, it appears, were walking down the street the other day,

when they noticed anowier woman just' in Iront of them. "That lady's waist is unbuttoned in the back," said one to the other. "I believe I'll speak to her about it." The other looked over the uncon-

shock her bead. "I don't believe that I would say onything to her," said she. "I don't believe that I would say onything to her," said she. "I doubt it she is the kind of person who would appreciate your kindness. She isn't very neatly got up, don't you see? Her shoes are horribly run down at the heel."

at the heel."
"I don't eare," said Mr. Irwin's acquaintance. "Any woman would be
glad of a warning that her waist is
unbuttoned. I don't eare if she doesn't

seem to be a very nice person. I shall call her attention to it."
"And so," said Mr. Irwin, "spe walked up to the stranger and tapped her on the shoulder. As the woman turned she said, just as sweetly as she knew how: 'Pardon me. But did you know that your shoes are run down at the heel? "-Herbert Corey in Cincinpati Times-Star.

The Missing Bed.

The house dated from the fifteenth century, and visitors were permitted to go over it for sixpence a head. Of course Queen Elizabeth had slept there, and the boy in buttons who conducted the party mentioned this three times in the sucred hedebamber. Most of the furniture had a look of the period, though there were a few doubt-

ful embroideries.
"And where," one of the visitors asked, "is the bed in which Queen Elizabeth slept?"

The boy in buttons hesitated a moment and then said, "That's being made, sir." -

Turned the Joke.

The following story is told of an English children officer in the Chinese army: Being visited by some friends, the captain, to show the high state of discipline of his command, sounded a night alarm. The troops turned out with commendable alacrity and fell Into their places, ready for emergencies but when they discovered the cause of this sudden interruption to their dreams they laughed heartily, think-ing it a good joke. The worthy captain was elated at his success and determined to repeat the experiment. Spon after he invited another party of friends to witness the performance, and the alarm was sounded at dead of night, but not a soldier appeared, while

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ed that the joke was on the men's

side this time.

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A Western paper says: -"Senator La Folietie's boom starts off like a prairie smudge," The eniudge is so thick that the boom does not appear to be Vielble to the ordinary eye.

manufacturing fudurtry in Rhode leinnd tine elwwn a wonderful increase in the last ten years, and if the tariff ilusers will subside the growth for the next ten years will be even

There is trouble to the Mussichusetts political camp. Governor Fogs is runsition his own campaign and apparently running it to suit bimself. The veteran Bryanite, George Fred Williams, is not even pilowed to show himself at the Fost railles. Hence the sorrow. Still there are not many mounters.

The city election, which comes one mouth fater than the State election, bids fair to be by far the more exciting of the two. At the present willing there are times candidates for Mayor to the field, and the contest between them will doubtless be .a warm one. The tickets for eldermen and members of the representative council have not yet been announced, but there will be no dearth of candidates for all of the numerous offices Newport is blessed with and an undue amount of politice.

Mr. Heart formally declares that he 'is back again it' the democratic party, but stready he feels crowded. He wants Murphy to get out, so that he can back more room. We recken that he will more roon. We recken that he will ask others to leave before he gets confortably settled. Mr. Hearst is tremeindously settled. Mr. Hearst is tremeindously settled about himself—a sort of political chantecter who crows and the sun cortes up. It is right pleasant to have at least one person who thinks well of you.—Heitfurd Courant. Most of the people of the country hope

the will stry rafely lodged this time. The Republican party doesn't want thim and if the Democrats do no one will ity to get blin away. , 👝 ..

Goy. Fuss of Mas achusetts seems to be getting it from his associates to his own party as well as from the opposition. His attempt to bottle up" Geo. Fred Williams, the old Democratic war, horse, is not relished by Williams' many friends. Now he is sending broadcant hundreds of pounds of literature booming himself but saying not a word for the rest of the ticket. Thereat the party leaders are unhappy. They want the whole ricket elected as well as the head of it. But they should have learned by this time that the Massachusetts Governor is a party of himself.

Pinladelphia has you the championship of the careball world, beating the New York Glants by four games to two. The Athletics clearly showed themselves superior at all points of the game, and their superiority was, perhapa the most noticeable in their sportsmanship. New York has been, as always, a poor loser. The management of the sale of tickets, too, at the New York end, has come in for a liberal chare of criticism, even prosecution be-ing talked of: While the management perhaps kept within the letter of the law, there were certainly evidences of "high fluence," which would be better far removed from the national

. The report of the Committee on Easton's Beach is a valuable document and gives the city of Newport tomething to work on in formulating plane for the development of the Beach. He criticism of the present management of the Beach is frank and open, and it at least shows what may be avoided in the report are largely general in their character, but the details may well be developed later, after the public has an opportunity to study the matter further and express their opinion on what has already been presented. As to the eatimated receipts from the Beach, the figures seem rather large, as they are apparently based on the full capacity of the accommodations. A busy Sunday might well exceed these figures, but it must be remembered that dull days during the week are numerous.

Mr. Underwood of Alabama is the Democratic leader of the National House of Representatives, and is widely talked of an suitable Presidential timber. He comes from a State of over two millions of people but where only about ninety thousand vote. In other words the proportion of voters in Alabama to the population is as one to thirty-two. In the Northern States, on the average, every one in five of the population exercises the right and privilege of voting. Alabama sends nine Democrats to Congress to make laws for the country on a total vote less than that cast for one Congressman in many of the Northern States. The total vote in Underwood's district was 10,114, all of which were for the Democratic leader. There was no opposition to the Democratic nominees in any of the nine districts, simply from the fact that apposition is not allowed in that State. These who might be in opposition are disfrauchised. The men that are elected in this way, and such is the way to nearly all parts of the South, are the men who are doing their best to injure New England and her great manufacturing industries by tariff tinkering.

Pour Hundredth Anniversary.

The President's sistement last week that the great caust would be completed in less than a year and a half from this Hone suggests that the great enterprise will be flujshed in season to celebrate the four hundredth appriverstry of the discovery of the capal cou try and the

On September 25, 1613, Baltos and his handful of associates climbed the crest of the ridge at the bithmus and looked out on the South Sea, which Magellan, a few years later, on his glabe-girdling trip, named the Pacific. On that day in September, 1513, the Pacific was seen for the that time by any white man from the American Cont:neut. Three days leter, on Beptember 28, Balbos and My men struck the Pacide at the spot which still bears the name which he gave it, the Bay of 8 in bliggel. Thus Balons, the discoverer of the fathmus of Panama, was sleet the Hist to cross IL,

The completion of the canal by the middle of 1918 would suggest that some soit of his observance of Balboa's exploit be held at the isthmus in the latter part of Beplemberof that year, just four conturies after the great Spanish explorer first prade the neck of land at Panimus known to the world. Spalu, of course; the first country which appeared in that region, would need to be invited by the United Blates to particinate in the observances. In the days of Columbus, Baloos, Cortez, Magellan, De Soto and Coronado, Basin was mirtress of seas, and likewise of a large part of the land of the world, Bhe was ou the American Continent long before the aret men of the English or French race came bere. As early as 1528 the idea of a ship canal culting through the latumus was fint entertained, and Charles V. seut engineers over from Boulu to make a survey of that neck of land, and point out the most suitable route for a waterway. It is something of a privilege for the people of the precent day, erpectally for the American people, to live to see this dream made real.

Size of New York.

New York is something of a city. Hera is what the New York World says about it:

"Merely as a matter of money, New York City a government torns over in a year more than \$150,000,000, . tocluding bund-refunding operations, now bonds and local improvements for which property owners pay. This sum is more than half the entire assessment of Chicago. Our expenses equal those of the next fifteen largest cities dombined. For schools alone we use, as much money in a year as the assessed value of Sacramento; \$6,000,000 more than that of Omaha. The gross debt of New York more than equals the mterest-bearing debt of the United States, and its annual interest bill is \$29,450,-824-\$8,000,000 more than the federal government's. The city spends \$1,206;-815.14 a year for forage and horseshoting. It has 445 miles of dock frontage to patrol. Its new squeduct is costing \$169,000,000, besides a \$25,000,000 rock tuonel within the city; but that is not equal to a year's budget. It owns \$140,000,000 worth of bridges. It spends for charities and ailled purposes \$10,000,000-the only item relatively lower than in Loudon and Berliu. There is more real estate exempt 'from taxatlon in New York-chugch, charitable and government property-than the entire assessed value of any other American city, with Cincinnati and Newark thrown in. The \$78,014,622.80 it spends to salaries and wages in a year would buy 26,000 amail homes at \$3,000 each; or \$,000,000 sults of \$20 cluther; or enough 5 cent bags of peanuts to reach end to sud four times stound the cath. New York has nearly as many temporary employees as the first army of occupation Italy will land in Tripoll. Its permanent force equals in humber the entire population of Springfield, Mass., or Tacoma."

Curious Law Making.

California is not yet happy. Her people at the lata election voted for the mitiative, the referendum, the recall, and Wong to Soffrage; this last by a small majority.

Now it seems the opponents of woman suffrage are arranging under the new privilege to get a second rote on the subject. They need 3 per cent. of the voters to eign petitions and then the vote must be taken. They are at work on this already and expect to have the vote in ninety days. They believe that this time they will wio, and here's one of the interesting features of the situation, they are counting on the votes of women to defeat woman

auffrage. They argue that on the original vote comparatively few men voted and they believe that the actual majority of the male voters are opposed. But, beyond this, they believe, too, that the great majority of the women of the state do not want the suffrage and they rely on these to go to the polls for once and do what they object to doing-and vote. If they vote, it will, they believe, be against the new movement. In other words, they rely on the movement to check itself. So we have here several projects together, woman suffrage, the initiative, and so forth. The result, will, indeed, be watched with live to-

Postmaster General Hitchcock will repeat ble recommendation for parcels port experiments. Congresamen who opposed even a trial of an improved system will find it hard to explain to constituents.

terest.

State Constitutional Changes.

The editorial below, from the Providence Journal, we give the benefit of a re-publication in the MERQURY fromthe fact that it is such a change from the editorials we are acoustomed to see in that paper that it is refreshing to read it. We were noder the impression that the Journal could that nothing in the Ruode Island Constitution to commend. A careful reading of the followtog erifcle would seem to Indicate that the wiseheads who dictate the policy of that paper have come to the conclusion that the rabid and rapid plan of conethetion making and amending in vogue to some of the far. Western, as well as far Eintern States, has come drawbacks that the framers of the Rhode Is and Constitution avoided.

It says: It connect are in the country paths apinton on great political ques-tions appears to be acquiring remark-sule finding. In Origin, where many radical laws have been adopted, there is radical laws have over suspect, there is stready so little talk about revising the new statutes. The people are doubtful if they with to see many distages con-tinually going into effect. For example, the recell provisions tall for an unim-ited number of elections if the requisite tied utunior of steelings if the required tally of names is presented in positions. It is not at all impossible or improbable that a revulsion implication on all the sub-fects through may cause the pendulum to walke the other way; for the inchesion to swing the other way, for the mode of recurring to some measure of the old system is not difficult. Rhode Islanders will leastly understand thus. This State does not sureful ing Constitution by a majority vote, whereas numbers of other States offer such a convenient and accessible route to this end, California, the harmonia is the second of the sure women. and accessions route to this end. Call-forms at apparently to have woman suffrage because a few thousand more than one-half the voters who voted favor the idea. Not all the States which so escourage

Not, all the Slates which so escourage and facilitate amendment of their fundamentar laws are in "the woolly West." The stoation to Maine on the subject of probibition illustrates how carelees some conservative old fixteen common westits have been in guarantering their social, economical and judicial silairs against casy or irresponsible affairs against casy or irresponsible affair when he would not be decided in the second of the electrate forces open the people a polloy which takes the piace of its upposite affair that has prevailed many years. Consequently the old, prohibition is worn as the proposition of liquor-selling under proadoption of liquor-selling under pro-tection of the law is a degree of radi-callen. And this change, of so great moment from its auddenness, which is bound to produce a Joit of a moral if not a legal character, is due to a radi-cal ctate Constitution. It reems but isir to call a constitution which can be amended by majority vote by just that adjective. When public opinion becomes fluid the real character of such a

comes fluid the real character of such a provision is apparent.

The makers of the present Con-Fitution of Rroute Island had seen the menace of the 'mejority idea of change. Therefore they provided that the three-fittle rule should prevail, and also that the measure to be submitted should pass two successive Legislatures prior to popular sudrage. Possibly this was ranking the present Constitution too permanent; but had is another question. In Connectical two-thirds of the members of each house of the Legislature bers of each house of the Legislature must pass on a proposal of amendment, and then it goes out for adoption by a majority vote. More danger exists there of a sudden change than in Rhode leand, because, as has been shown in Maine and California, a sweeping afteration of the personnel in the Legislature would leave a constitutional change to the will of the barett majority. The future of public publics in periods of transition, wherever amendment is as little difficult as in Maine, California, Oregon and many other States, can never be predicted.

Cal fornia can change back on the recall vote even without much trouble. The vote for it was not so have that he voters failing to ballut cannot be rebers of each house of the Legislature

The vote for it was not so make that the voters falling to ballut caunot be regarded as a conservative force ready to the against the innovative in a future election. With the lust-slung of woman suffrage there would be less obsuce of a suffrage there would be ical chance of a revuision, because it may be supposed that the women, on a second ballot on their cause, would all vote for it. If the same constitutional provision for amendment provided in Uniformia as prevails in Rhodo Island the woman soffrage amendment would need overautirage amendment would used over-twenty thousand votes more than it does now. This general fact, to be es-pecially outed about this subject is that listes which leave their Constitution autject to change, by a majority, and permaps a landshide legislature, must be prepared at all times for the defects of prepared at all times for the "defects" of the law, It may be said that the fundamental law is inherently of a radical character. Once a movement of movement is in progress to such states the results simply "depend on half the voters wing to the polls. Stability of institutions does not develop from such a view of public policy.

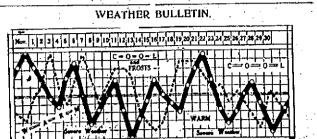
Should Be Promptly Repealed.

[American Economist.]

But for the selfishness and countingroom centrel of Republican newspapers much more would be heard to condemmuch more would be need to concentration of that provision of the Ganadian agreement bill which gives to Causda a free market for print paper and pulp without exacting from her any equivalent concession whateoever. Curiously enough, that part of the agreement was not made confident upon Canada's ac-ceptance of the pact, but became opera-tive at once. Canada's paper and pulp comes but our market free of all duties, comes lotto our market free of all duties, but our own exports continue to pay full rates of duty in Canada. It is hard to find in all economic legislation a parallel .to this stupid blunder. Not even the Democratic making of a Tariff "with blacksmith's tools" can compare with it. Not only have we given Canada something for nothing, but under the "most favored nation" principle we shall be compelled to receive paper and pulp from all the rest of the world free of duty. Unless that foolish and victous section of the Canadian agreement is repealed, the paper and pulp industry of the United States will suffer incalculable loss. Self-respect, if no other motive, should compelite repeals by the American Congress. by the American Congress.

Last year 35,243 aprelyors of the civil war passed away, reducing the total to 529,584, a goodly number still, but fast going down, as the average age is now 70. According to the official record, 2, 213,285 men served in the army and navy of the United States during the

The Worlds Standard for tea is LIPTON'S TEA OVER 2 MILLION PACKAGES SOLD WEEKLY



November will average warmer than usual and more than usual rainfall is expected. Texas, the plains states and parts of New England will be drier than usual. Unusually stormy weather will prevail. Highest average temperalures will be near Nov. 8 and 21, and lowest near 18 and 29. Not much rain last ten days. Dry near Nov. 15. Frequent rains balance of mouth. Severe weather about and following Nov. 4 and 19.

In above chart the treble line represents normal temperatures and ratufall. The heavy line with round white spots to temperature forecasts. Where it goes above trebet line temperatures are gapected to be higher. Where it goes below trebet line temperatures will be lower. The broken zigzag lius is rainfail forecasts. As it goes higher ludivates greater probability of rain and where it goes lower the reverse. Dates are for Meridian 90. Count one or two days earlier for west of line and so much for east of it became weather fee ares move from west to east.

Washington, D. O., Oct. 23, 1911.
Lest bulletin gave forecasts of disturbance to cross continent October 29 to November 2, warm wave 23 to November 1, cool wave 31 to November 6. Bevers weather has been expected to result from this disturbance with temperatures below the normal for a few days preceding the warm wave. Then a great warm wave will apread over the comprey and become continental in extent. This will be an important feature

country and become continental in ex-tent. This will be an important feature in or opweather, particularly in respect it whiter grain.

The great world wide disturbance, extensively advertised in my bulletins to occur from October 15 to 20, was all I distinced it would be and holuded sunspote, severe wind and rain atorms, transfors, horriesness and numerous earthquakes. When I publish my sys-tem of meteorology the causes of that great disturbance will be fully ex-plained and demonstrated.

great disturbance will be fully explained and demonstrated.

Next disturbance will reach Pacific costs about November 8, cross Pacific stope by close of 4, great central valleys 6 to 7, eastern sections 8. Warm, wave will cross Pacific slope about November 8, great central valleys 5, eastern sections 7. Cool wave will cross Pacific slope about November 8, great central valleys 8, eastern sections 10.

This disturbance will continue the high temperatures and stormy weather

This disturbance will continue the high tem peratures and stormly weather with more than usual rain. Most of the rainfall is expected from Cairo to St. Paul, from St. Louis to Omaha in the Ohio valleys and about the great lakes west of Buffalo. All weather features of this disturbance will be of greater than panish proposity and the features of this disturbance will be of greater than much intensity and the forces will be at their greatest from November 5 to 9. The cool wave of this disturbance will end the warm period and from November 9 to 16 frosts will probably kill a considerable part of growing cotton. The cool wave expected to be near meridian 90, November 18, will probably put an end to much of the remaining typ cotton growth.

growth.
I ark readers of these bulletins to note

Colonel Guethals and his busy men are going to build two dry docks at Colou. They will be used for docking are going to that a way to to to the country and repairing merchant vessels going through the Paugina Canal, and the plant is to include piachine shops, coaling wharves and equipment shops. At these will also be at the service of All these will also be at the service of our warships. The order is to have this great ship yard leady for operation by July, 1918. The order is a orgone, the customary time for building, a try dock being somewhere between three and four years. Colonel Goethals is a man who does things, however, and be probably will do this.—Hartford Courast.

People of Newport who know the Colonel know that he will come pretty near doing what he sets out to do, if given a chauce.

The members of the congregation of the Second Baptist Church have presented the pastor, Rev. George W. Quick, D. D., with a purse of gold to commemorate the applyereary of his

RUSSIAN GOVERNOR DRIVES OUT JEWS

Suddenness of Action Makes Conditions Hard

Yuzovka, Rassia, Oct. 27.-By an order of the governor, all Jews in the province of Yekaterinoslav are subject to expulsion with the following exceptions:

First, those living in the province since May 16, 1882; second, artisans and others having permits of residence from the governor's chancery: third, those resident since Aug. 14, 1906. If an order of expulsion against them has already been set aside by the governor's chancery; and fourth those who have changed to a rural residence between May 16, 1882, and

Jan. 11, 1888. Many of those thus subject to expulsion are in a critical position, as the sudden exhiston prevents a liquidation of their affairs and to avoid financial ruln some are adopting the Russian faith. Special officials will be sent through the province to control the registration.

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Washington, D. O., Oct. 28, 1911.

At that time I expect variables on central disturbances, that are expected during the five days Nov. 22 to 26 inclusive. At that time I expect variables on central disturbances. tral parts of the sun, earthquakes which

At that time I expect subsputs on cell-ital paris of the sun, earthquake's which I shall not try to locate, electric storms that will disturb kelephones and tele-graph, I can not say at what place, and that the intensities of all, weather fea-tures will largely increase.

I am willing to take the responsibil-ity of making this foredat and abail re-quest the Sunta Clara, California matro-nomical, increorological and seismic ob-servatory to report the results of its ob-servators for that tive day period.

We are living in an age noted for the progressives it is producing. In all lines our race is intensively active; so much is this the case that history gives no ac-count of anything in the past that will compare with it. The white race has broken away from the fetters that bound it during the dark ages and the wonderful advances of the last twenty-years indicate that we are making up years indicate that we are making up for lost time.

The experiments with radium and

other raio-active minerals is turning old theories of the orthodox scientists, upside down and inside out. In actronomy the great telescopes are detrouned in theories while the spectrum analysis and the

while the spectrum analysis and the increase are upsetting old belief about matter and physics.

May I suggest that meteorology is near a great epoch and that its progressives may not long remain in the rear ranks. The writer fully believes that our race has more of real bound to home for from preferrings them from hope for from meteorology to an from any or all other divisions of the human activities. Meteorology is not now, in the universities, classed as a science. I believe that it will soon absorb astrophysics and become the corner stone of that structure that embiaces all the

Coffee is going up and sugar is going down. The former comes into the country free and the latter is tariff taxed. How is that, Mr. Tariff Tinker?

Didn't Have To.

"Did you hear the rate in the night?"
"Yee."
"Pleasant music, wasn't it?"
"I didn't notice the music. I was

too busy bustling around closing the windows. Didn't it keep you busy too?"
"Oh, no! We rent a furnished bouse, you know.! --- Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Faces are made beautiful by kind-iess. It is a sculptor.

Weekly Almanac:

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Full Moon, 7th day, 1th, 1tm., evening Last Querter, 1th day, 6h. 48., evening New Yoon, 2th day, 7th, 9m., evening First Quarter, 80th day, 1b, 12m., morning

Deaths.

In this city, October 21, Patrick Finn, in the fith year of his age. In this city, October 22, John O'Neill, aged

68 years. In this city, 22d inst., Rebecca R., widow of Richard B. Wright. In this city, 24th inst., Mario Gindys, daugh-ter of William C. and Mary F. Luth, aged?

In this city, 24th inst., Mario Gindys, daughter of William C. and Mary F. Luth, aged 9 months and 9 days.
At Lime Meck Lighthouse, 24th inst., Ida Lewis Wilson, aged 99 years.
In this city, 25th inst., Sarah Elizabeth, widow of Edwa. 47. Dodge.
In Providence, 24th inst., Thoress, wife of Frank Huleit.
In Providence, 24th inst., Heury Francis Johnson, in his 75th year.
In Providence, 25th inst., Helen Augusts, wife of John M. Buffinton.

HOUSES, SITES AND FARMS

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UNITED STATES AS AN ASYLUM

imperial Family Prepared to: Depart From China

CANTON IN HANDS OF REBELS

They Intend to Make Immediate Advance Upon Capital---Assassination of War Minister a Severe Blow to Government-Dynasty on Its Last Legs-Rush of Rebels Toward Pekin Continues-Large Cities Taken

Pekin, Oct. 27 .- Native newspapers announce positively that the emperor and his family are prepared to start for Mukden, Manchuria, where protection has been guaranteed them by the Japaneso. Later, It is stated, the imperial ones will be conducted to the United States.
The widespread circulation of such

statements as the above without interference from the authorities is considered significant in view of the restraint to which the press has been subjected heretofore.

Canton in Rebels' Hands London, Oct. 27.—A news dis-, patch from Shanghaf says that a report has reached there that the rebels have captured Canton after great. slaughter, and that they are prepar-ing for immediate advance on Pekin.

War Minister Stain Shangbal, Oct. 27.—General Ying Tchang, minister of war, who was in the south at the head of an imperial army, was assassinated by a revolutionary spy at Kwang-Shua. Ying Tchang delayed his active operations against the rebels because of the numerous desertions of unpaid troops. His death is a serious blow to the government.

News from Pekin that the government has indicated its acquiescence in the demands of the assembly that Sheng Haun-Husat, minister of posts and communications, be degraded, has strengthened the belief that the dynasty has not many more days to live.

The victorious rush of the Chinese rebels toward Pekin is unbroken. Tsl-Nan-Fu, capital of the province of Shan-Tung, and only 200 miles distant from Pekin, has fallen into the hands of the revolutionists.

. Tsi-Nan-Fu is an important manufacturing city of 300,000 souls, located on the left bank of the Ta-Tsin river. It is noted for the Roman Catholic cathedral.

A correspondent reports the revolutionists have outflanked the Imperialists 180 miles north of Hankow, and have secured the government's war chest, containing \$1,125,000.

Further troops have been ordered to the front from Manchuria. Hundreds of Chinese are fleeing from Pekin, all the trains being crowded.

THE BENGHAZI BATTLE

Casualties Among the Inhabitants . Number About Four Thousand

London, Uct. 25 .- The correspondents of the London Times and other English papers at Tripoli have been reporting by way of Malta that the affair at Benghazi was much more serious than the Italian censorship had permitted to be known.

In letters received from Benghazi the writers estimate the casualties among the inhabitants resulting from the bombardment by the Italian fleet at 4000.

The British consulate, was badly damaged and Consul Jones was wounded. Numerous buildings, including a Maltese church, were de-

stroyed. The correspondents add that wild panic prevailed.

WHY WE HAVE "GROUCHES"

Pretty Model Explains That It is Due to Cramped Feet

Chicago, Oct. 26 .- "Bare feet in the street and at home are just as sensible as bare hands—if not more so. Cramped feet account for the modern 'grouch.' If the people of today would, go barefooted for five years it would work a miracle in our dispositions. Shoes have caused more wrinkles than age."

So says Benia L. Edgington, who is one of the prettiest models posing for commercial art work in Chicago. In New Orleans, where Miss Edgington has taken part in the Mardi Gras for five years, there is a club of young men and women who wear candals summer and winter.

Athletics Are World's Champions Philadelphia, Oct. 27 .- The Athletics are champions of the world. They slaughtered the Giants, 13 to 2, resterday, pounded three pitchers to all corners of the lot and gave Mc-Graw's team the worst showing-up ever any club got in a world's championship game.

Hundred Horses Perish

Boston, Oct. 24.—Fire caused \$50,000 damage and 100 horses per-Ished when the large stable of the John H. Winslow Contracting company, Grenite avenue, Milton, was destroyed.

'Crar "Killed" For Market Purposes St. Petersburg, Oct. 27 .- There is no truth in the reports circulated abroad of an attempt on the lives of the emperor and empress. They are declared officially to have been circulated for the purpose of influencing the market .

SEEK POISON **IN HIS BOOKS**

Police Take Possession of Those in Richeson's Room

DETECTIVE BURNS IS GRILLED

Man Who Has Been Working in Behalf of Alleged Slayer Appears Before Grand Jury-Evidence Sought by Officers Sald to Have Been Removed-The Edmands' and Mrs. Linnell Testify

Boston, Oct. 27.-Books removed by the police from Rev. C. V. T. Richeson's room at the residence of Frank H. Carter, in Cambridge last night, will be subjected to a minute examination in which expert chemists will figure.

This action is regarded as having connection with the report that Richeson, two days before the death of Avis Linnell, procured a bowl of flour from Mrs. Carter and mixed it with some substance. . He is reported as having told birs. Carter that he wished to make a paste for mending his books. On returning the bowl he is alleged to have warned her to wash it thoroughly, "for there has been poison in it."

The grilling of Detective Robert Burns who has been directing the col-lection, of evidence upon behalf of Richeson, was an unexpected feature in District Attorney Pelletier's grand jury investigation into the murder of Avis Linnell, yesterday.
Although Pelletter had stated that

he intended to make the hearing a "thorough" one, no lilnt was given that he intended to examine persons closely allied with the defense.

Jauntily Burns tripped over the

threshold of the grand jury chamber. When he emerged his smile was gone. He mopped his brow as he headed for the elevator exit.

The proceedings of the grand jury are secret. But the throngs of observers in the courthouse corridors decided that Burns' demeanor indicated that he had been hard pressed for information.

Predictions were made as to the nature of the questions that were directed at him. The prevailing opin-ion among those who have followed the murder case closely was that the detective was asked particularly in reference to any knowledge that he might have of a search made at Richeson's boarding place in Cambridge prior to the arrival of the po-

It has been intimated that evidence the officers sought had been removed. They failed to find the vial that Druggist Hahn said contained the cyanide of potassium ne gave to Richeson. And there were lefters and other nossessions of the minister that the police sought value in his rooms at Cambridge after his arrest.

Mr. Pelleter did not confine his at-tention to liurns, for during the long hours of the afternoon while the prosecuting officer was acquainting the grand jurors, detail by detail, with the evidence on which he hopes to have Richeson indicted for murder, Mr. and Mrs. Moses G. Edmands, the parents of Richeson's last flance, were summoned to tell all they knew about Richeson. Each appeared be-

fore the grand Jury.
Violet Edmands, their daughter, who was to have wedded Richeson on Oct. 31, did not escape the dis-trict attorney's dragnet. A subposena had been served on her. She was not present, and as an explanation of her non-attendance, Edmands produced a physician's certificate. It was to the effect that the young woman was so ill that she could not comply with the order that the subpoens carried.

Miss Rose Edulands, her sister. will also be called before the grand

nathetic feature of the proceed ings was furnished by the appearance of Mrs. Edgar Linnell, the mother of thet dead girl, and Mrs. Vila Mc-Lean, the married sister of Miss Lin-

The servers that still racked the mother's heart was evident in the tears that came when she entered Pelletier's office. She allowed her daughter to lead her to a hench, where they tat until summoned before the jury

Another person who has been con tidered as a defense witness is Frank II. Carter, in whose house Richeson lived at Cambridge. Carter was also in attendance among the witnesses called by Pelletier. He was not heard until late in the afternoon.

Looking For a President

Princeton, N. J., Oct. 27.-Trus-tees of Princeton university were in tonference for about three hours here but were unable to decide upon a president to succeed Woodrow Wilrou, whose resignation of the presidency was accepted just a year ago.

VIEWS OF UNITABIANS

They See Nothing That is Good in

Christian Science Doctrine Washington, Oct. 27 .-- A vigorous ettack on Christian Science was made at the annual conference of Unitarian

Rev. George R. Dodson of St. Louis characterized it as "menace to the country and to national life," and "a fanaticism."

Rev. Howard N. Brown of Boston said Christian Science was simply an "offshoot oof religion," and that Christianity was on trial for its life as not before in years.

BANKER WALSH'S DEATH

H Closely Follows His Belease From Leavenworth Federal Prison Chicago, Oct. 24.—John R. Walsh, the recently paroled banker, died suddenly of heart disease here. Walsh was recently released from Leavenworth penitentiary, to which he was sentenced for wrecking three Chicago banks. He left the prison a week

ego last Saturday; Although Walsh had been in teeble health since his parole from the penitentiary not even the members of his family believed his death was so near. Months before his release his

health began to fall.

Walsh was born in County Cork, Ireland, 74 years ago, and came here more than sixty, years ago. His early struggle was hard. From peddling newspapers he developed into large newspaper dealings, and gradually acquired funds until he gained a place in a bank.

FINLEY IS ACQUITTED

Not Gullty of Killing Patient in State Insane Asylum

Worcester, Mass., Oct. 27.— George B. Finley, former attendant of the Worcester state hospital for the insane, charged with manslaughter in causing the death of Michael Leyden of Somerville, an inmate, Aug. 27, was acquitted by the jury last evening after it had been out but a short

Finley, who is 21 years of age, when placed on the stand just before the case was given to the jury, flatly denied striking Leyden, and told of marks and hydises on the Somerville man's chest and arms when he came on duly on the day of Leyden's death.

YOUTH'S COURTESY BRINGS HIM FORTUNE

Rewarded For Giving Sleeping Car Berth to Elderly Woman

New Haven, Oct. 26.—Ernest W. Marlowe of New York, recently graduated from Harvard, gets \$110,-000 for giving up his sleeping car berth to an elderly woman passenger. The passenger was Miss Helen A. Marsh of this city, whose will was filed for probate here yesterday.

About fifteen years ago Marlowe, traveling from New York to Washington, gave up his sleeping car berth to Miss Marsh, a stranger to him then, who had been unable to get sleeper accommodations. Miss Marsh sent Marlowe through college and law school, and now leaves him the bulk of her property.

HEARS DEATH SENTENCE

Phelps Must Go to Electric Chair For Killing Haskins Greenfield, Mass., Oct. 26.—Silas

N. Phelps, who shot and killed Deputy Sheriff Emmett F. Haskins, will pay the penalty for his deed in the electric chair at the state prison during the week beginning Dec. 31. Judge Fessenden, in the Franklin county superior court, sentenced the man to death yesterday afternoon and set the date.

Before sentence was Imposed Pholys reiterated his protestation of innocence, declaring that the evidence had been "framed up" against him and that if granted a new trial he

could prove that he was not guilty.

Haskins was killed June 12, 1910, on the doorsteps of the Phelps home at Mouroe, when he went to arrest Phelps on an assault charge.

SANDFORD WANTS \$5000

Ball In That Amount Not Secured by Holy Ghost Leader

Portland, Mc., Oct. 27.-Rev. Frank W. Samiford, leader of the Holy Ghost and Us society at Shiloh, who was arrested by federal authori ties on the charge of causing the death one of his missionaries who died from scurvy, brought on by lack of sufficient food, has not secured ball.

Arrested at Shiloh by United States Deputy Marshal Stevens, following his release on \$10,000 ball in a civil action, Sandford's friends are now endeavoring to raise \$5000 demanded as surety by Commissioner Bradley.

GOING TO HIGHER COURT

Justice Declares That Norfolk's Segregation Ordinance Is Void

Norfolk, Oct. 27 .- The new segregation ordinance restricting the residence of neg.ocs to certain streets and localities was declared unconstitutional by Justice Duncan.

The court heid that the question was one of taste rather than law, and that so long as a negro owned his property or paid his rent and behaved himself he could live where he

Corey to Quit as Steel Director New York, Oct. 27 .- W. E. Corey, who purposes solourning abroad, will at no far distant date resign from the directorate of the United States Steel

Carnegie to Head University Aberdeen, Oct. 25 .- Andrew Carnegle was nominated for the lord rec. torship of the University of Aberdeen. He will be declared elected Saturday,

Woman Kills Celf and Six Children Braddock, N. D., Oct. 24.-Mrs. Axel Johnson, wife of a prosperous farmer near here, locked berself and six small children in their home and set fire to the house after saturating the room with kerosene. All were burned to death.

ALLISON M'FARLAND

Newark Man Accused of Causing Death of Wife



Photo by American Press Association. M'FARLAND IS INDICTED

Accused of Murdering Wife So He Could Wed Rival

Newark, N. J., Oct. 26.-Allison McFarland, advertising manager for a well known electrical firm, was indicted by the Essex county grand jury on a charge of murdering his wife by the use of cyanide of potas-

Motive for the crime, the prosecutor thinks, has been supplied by McFarland's admitted love for Miss Florence Bromley of Philadelphia, his former stenographer.

The accused man was not in court, but when he heard at the fail that the indictment had been returned, he stated that his defense would be that his wife's death was accidental or suicidal. He said he had "plenty of motives for divorce, but none for

GOVERNMENT FILES STEEL TRUST SUIT

Pellilon Asks For Dissolution of the Corporation

Washington, Oct. 27.-A petition asking for the dissolution of the United States Steel corporation and some of its subsidiaries was filed in the United States court in Trenton. The petition was prepared by Jacob M. Dickinson, former secretary of war, who had been retained by the government as its special counsel in

The petition charges the steel corporation and those subsidiaries which are named as defendants with maintaining or attempting to maintain a monopoly in the steel business. The evidence upon which the suit was brought was obtained by the special investigators of the department of

VERMONT'S SMALLEST MAN

Freeman Succumbs to Indigestion at the Age of 36

Barre, Vt., Oct. 25.-Walter Freeman, who, although 26 years of age, was but 31/2 feet tall, filed of acute indigestion.

Freeman weighed fifty-nine pounds and is said to have been the smallest man in the state. He had received many flattering offers to appear on the stage as a Lilliputian, but preferred

to remain on the home farm. He had three sisters and two brothers, all of whom, as well as his parents, are of normal size.

GUILTY OF KIDNAPPING

Jury Convicts Man Who Held a Child For \$5000 Ransom

New York, Cct. 27,-It took a jury only twelve minutes yesterday after noon to decide that Vico Micelli was guilty of kidnapring the 3-year-old son of Martano Scimeca, an Italian

The child was held for \$5000 ransom and returned after his father had yaid the kidnapper £1700. The maximum sentence Micelli may receive is lifty years. Sentence was deferred, pending an appeal.

MARTIN HAS BAD FALL

Flying Machine Invented and Operated by Him Is Smashed

Nassau, N. Y., Oct. 27.-Professor James V. Martin of Harvard university, president of the Harvard Acronautical society, fell 200 feet while trying out his new biplane at the aviation field here. He was badly injured. His machine was smashed.

His new machine was a cross between a biplane and a monoplane and was referred to by aviation sharps as the "Martinique.

More Postal Banks Washington, Oct. 25.-Postal sav-ings banks have been ordered established in postoffices in North Easton and West Upton, Mass.

Woman Geto \$10,000 Land Prize Gregory, S. D., Oct. 25.-Mary J. Kendall of Rapid City, S. D., drew No. I at the drawing for the 4000 prizes in the Rosebud land allotment. It is estimated to be worth \$10 000. The drawing will take three days.

İtaly Formaliy Annexes Tripoli Rome. Oct. 27. -- Italy has formally notified the powers of its annexation

CUSTOMS WILL BE REFORMED

To Stop Undervaluations and Erroneous Glassification GOES INTO EFFECT NOV. 1

Plan of Sweeping Nature Requires Regular Reports by Appraisers Throughout the Country to Be Made to Experts at New York, Which Becomes Great Clearing House For Disputes---Where Credit is Due

Washington, Oct. 26,-The most sweeping plan of administration reform in the memory of the customs service is outlined by the treasury department, through Assistant Sec-

The plan provides that beginning Nov. 1. 1911, all appraising offices throughout the country will submit to the appraiser at New York, either weekly, daily or monthly, as the case may be, a sample label covering each article of merchandise appraised during the period in question, except articles imported in bulk, perishable articles, live animals and articles covered by specific paragraphs of the tariff with respect to American articles exported in return, books for the use of the government, household efyear, personal effects of citizens of the United States dying in foreign countries, plants and seeds imported for the department of agriculture and personal effects of returning travel-

Actual samples of all merchandise imported also will be forwarded when practicable, to provide a check against undervaluations and erroncous classifications and to avoid discrepancies in the classification and appraisement of merchandise at the various ports of entry.

Each sample and label will be carefully compared by the appraising officers of New York with the returns of that port and with the returns of similar merchandise at the other ports of entry, and all discrepancies will be made the subject of correspondence between the appraisers at New York and the customs officers reporting on the same merchandise. .

If an agreement cannot be reached by correspondence between the local officers, the matter will be submitted to the department for decision and the appraiser at New York will report to the department monthly all discrepancies and appraisals and classifications noted by him and the action taken thereon.

The system thus will make New York a great clearing house for cus-toms disputes and will give the treasury department simultaneously the advantage of the opinion of the leading customs experts of the country when questions are submitted to Washington for decision.

The primary aim of the new plan is to bring about uniformity of classification and appraisment, thus at once minimizing the labor of the treasury department and so standardizing the methods at each port of entry that the business world will be saved much

time, money and litigation.
It should be said that the new system is being instituted upon the suggestion of the board of general appraisers and is not, therefore, a reform initiated in Washington. The Payne law omitted from the functions of the hoard the duty of exercising such supervision over appraisements and classifications as might be neces-

sary to secure uniformity. The department, having assumed jurisdiction of this task, is in a much better position to work out good results than the board of general appraisers, as it has complete control of the administrative machinery and can act with more freedom than the board, which is a semi-judicial body,

OF INTEREST TO WEAVERS

Attorney General Rules That Grading

Is Equivalent to Fining Boston, Oct. 26,-Attorney Gen-eral Swift has sent to Chief Whitney

of the district police a ruling which is of importance to weavers throughout the commonwealth, Inasmuch as it requires the state police to consider the system of grading in the same light as fining, which is prohibited by law.

In many milts it is the common practice for overseers to determine cloth to be of inferior quality and to pay the weaver a second-grade price it, thus circumventing the statute which prohibits the imposition of a direct fine upon weavers for imperfections in their work.

The attorney general holds, however, that grading is in effect fining, and that it is prohibited by law,

EAGLE SEVENTY YEARS OLD

Newspaper Celebrates by Publishing Nintty-Six Page Edition

New York, Oct. 27.-- The Brooklyn Daily Eagle celebrated the 70th anniversary of its first issue with the publication of a special ninety-sixpage edition and with an entertainment and reception last night to the present and former members of its

Dr. St. Clair McKelway, the editor of the paper, and Colonel William Hester, the president of the corporation which publishes it, delivered the addresses of the evening, dwelling largely upon the progress of Brooklyn and the part played in it by The

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Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 27 .- Three Maxwell cars composing the Tarrytown, N. Y., team won the Glidden tour which ended in Jacksonville, defeating seventeen other teams of three cars each in the most strenuous Glidden tour which has ever been conducted.

Driving like mad over a mere trail through the Florida pine forests and under a speed schedule which was supposed to be impossible, the Tarrytown trio made a whirlwind finish and arrived early enough to retain the only perfect score in the contest. This they have maintained persistently since leaving New York on Uct, 14.

LOSES \$700 ALLOWANCE

Postmaster Might Have Saved It by Spending a Dollar

Washington, Oct. 26.-The postmaster at East Berlin, Conn., reports that his receipts in the last year were ¥999. If he had spent a dollar for stamps,

his receipts would have been \$1000 the minimum allowable if his office was to continue in the third class But the dollar was not spent for stamps, and so the postmaster general, under the law, must, he said.

put East Berlin back into the fourth That cuts off the annual allowance of \$700 for rent, fuel and clerk bire.

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MENTAL MACHINERY.

Bhut Off All the Power When You Quit Work at Night

It is a great thing to learn to shut off the mental steam when you quit work, says Orison Swett Marden in Success Magazine. What would you think of a factory manager who would leave all of his power turned on after the operators had left the factory, the delicate machinery running every-where, pounding itself to pieces, grinding out its delicate bearings without producing anything? Hany of us do not turn off our mental power after we are through producing or creating for the day. We carry our business home, take it to bed with us, think, plan, worry and waste precious energy in all sorts of ways, in superfluous thinking, foolish worrying that pro-duces nothing, but grinds out the exquisite mental machinery and units it for the next day's work. It is a great art to learn to shut off power when through our day's work, so that we can oil our mental machinery, refresh our minds and recuperate our Belves, so that we can go to the next day's work completely reinvigorated.

Many men seem to think that they are accomplishing something if they keep their minds on business even when not at work, but they really no compilsh less than nothing because they are wasting precious mental energy, the power for concentration, the vigor, the focusing of the mind, which is imperative for creating purposes.

The Doctor's Fee.
There came a letup in the rush of patients, and the doctor opened two small envelopes lying on his desk.
"It's all right," he said. "I wasn't

sure. Without offending I couldn't open the envelopes in the presence of the persons who gave them to mo. They contain the fees left by two Englishmen who called close on each other's heels. English ofiquette is rather embarrassing for a physician who is used to patients who hand over their money with the denomination right on top, American fashion. In England it would be considered an insult to give a physician his fee un-wrapped. You can't insult an Ameri-can physician that way, but newcom-ers credit him with an excess of sen-sibility and give him a good many unbeen underpaid."—New York Bun.

Penn Very Much a Lendoner. William Penn, the founder of Penny

avivania, was born on Tower Hill on Oct. 14, 1014, was christened in All Hallows church, became a student of Lincoln's Inn, and then, joining the Quakers, he abandoned the law and preached along with George Fox in a meeting house off Lembard street. He once occupied a house in Nortelk street, Strand, chosen on account of its closoness to the river, which facilitated escape from duns, and he was inprisoned both at Nowgate and in the So Penn Was, after all, very anuch a Londoner.-London Standard.

A Crust Stand.
Soveral villagers were discussing a departed sister, who and been given to good deeds, but was rather too fout of dispensing sharp spoken advice.

She was an excellent woman," said the deceased lady's pastor. "She was constantly in the homes of the poor and afflicted. In fact, she was the sail of the earth."

"She was more than that," remarked a villager. "She was the vinegar, the pepper and the musland us well. She a perfect critet stand of virtues."-

Loudon Tit-Bits. Street Through a Church, One of the hest known instances of

churches with streets through there is that of St. John the Unptist's church in Bristol, England. The church is situnted right over the nucleut enlower into the city on the Aron, and the toering spire, standing high above the neighboring houses and streets, is a remarkable sight as one surveys it from

the roadway below. Came Partly True. "Defore marriage I used to dream of his in a fine house, with sixteen serv-

"Dreams never come true." Instead of a house, but we've had the sixteen servants."—Washington Her-

Quaker Slang.

A visitor to Philadelphia, unfamiliar with the garb of the Boolety of Friends, was much interested in two demune and placid Quakerence who took seats directly behind her in the Broad Street Station. After a few minutes? ellence she was somewhat stattled to hear a gentle voice inquires "Sister Rate, will thee go to the counter and have a mik-punch on me?".-June Dippincoll's.

A Protection.

"Any man looks stupid when he years a monocle," raid the critical girl. "That's why so m-ny of us fellows wear 'em," replied the candid youth; "If we happen to look stupid we blame the monocle.".—Washington Star.

No Wedding Day Bargain.

The Husband (during the quarret)—You're always making bargains. Was there ever a time when you didu't? The Wife—Yes, etr; on my wedding day,—Varlety Life.

Cityman-Do you keep bees? Countryman....No; there are more up to date methods of getting stung......Woman's Home Companion.

"You weinen bear paln more herole-

ally than men.
"Who told you that -- a doctor?"
"No, a shocmaker." -- London Opin-

"They eay he's made a great success of his new play?" "Yes; it's already been suppressed in three cities."—Detroit Free Press.

Too many men are measured by the elze of their bank accounts.

There is just as good fish stories as have even been caught.

The man with a level hear unver gets it from butting in.

Scrap Book

Educated Fingers.

It is often said that a Yorkshireman is so keen after money that he will grab at it dead or alive. A certain native worked at a sawmill, and one day he met with an accident two of his fingers being cut off and dropping In the sawdust.

Of course the man was hurrled off to the infirmary, and after he was gone his mates began to look for his fingers in the sawdust, when in walked the foreman, who said:
"I say, what are you wasting your

time there for? Why don't you get on with your work?"

One of the men replied: "That Yorkshire chap has had two fingers cut off, and we're looking for

"What a waste of time!" cried the "Wo'll soon and them." And he threw half a crown on the floor, when up came the two missing fingers wriggling out of the sawoust to get at the money!

Find a Way or Make it.

It was a noble Roman
In Rome's imperial day
Who heard a coward croaker
Before the castle say;
"They're safe in such a fortress,
There is no way to shake it."
"On, on!" exclaimed the here,
"I'll find a way or make it!"

Is Fame your aspiration?
Her path is steep and high.
In vain he seeks her teinple
Who is content to gaze and sigh.
The shining throng is waiting.
But he clone can take it.
Who says, with Roman firmness,
"I'll find a way or make it!"

Is Learning your ambition?
There is no royal road.
Alike the peer and peasant
Must climb to her abode.
Who feels the thirst of knowledge
In Helicon may slake it
If he has still the Romen will—
"Til find a way or make it!"
—John G. Saxa.

A Queer Name, One of the best navy stories of the sometimes amusing mistakes of the Britisher over names in common use in the United States is told by Rear

Admiral W. P. Potter, U. S. N., on duty at Washington. "Some years ago," said Rear Admi-ral Potter, "the old United Stales steamship Ohio steamed into a South American port and anchored near a British passenger steamship. She interested the passengers of the steamship very much.

"After a little a new man came on deck and began an eyeglass inspection of the battleship. He stared at the name OHIO for several moments and then exploded.

"'A "ho" and a "haltch" and a "10," he said to himself, 'Wot a 'ell of a name for a ship!"

. A New Baseball Ruling. The umpire scouts everlooked this indicator man. The following is a sam-

ple of lils work; The Atlanta Deppens and the Bir-mingham Gold Dusts, negro baseball tenms, were playing a strenuous game in Atlanta. In one liming the Gold Dusts had the bases full with no outs. An abour hard batter stepped to the plate. The pitcher sent the sphere to

"One ball," called the negro umpire.

Again the pitcher got lausy.
"Two balls," called the umpire. After the third ball pitched the man with the indicator shouted:

"Three balls!" Once more the sphere went neross

"Fo' ballst Yo' out?' shouted the umpire. The batter was highly indig-

"What?" he yelled, "Me out? Whar yo' git dat, niggah?'

"Now, look wheah, man," said the mpire, "ye" gotta be out. Dey ain't no room fo' yo' on do bases."-Atlanta

A Sunday In Glasgow.

Hoffmann, the famous German chomlet, once related an experience he had of Scotch Sabbatarlanism. In 1890 ho visited Glasgow, arriving in the town into on a Saturday night. The following morning he went to call on Sir William Thompson, afterward Lord Kelvin. The doorbell was answered by a parlor maid, of whom Hoffman asked if Sir William were at home. "Sir, he most certainly is not," answered the servant.

"Could you tell me where I tulght find him?" asked the professor. "You will find him in church, sir,"

was the crushing reply, "where you ought to be."

Too Late.

Years ago, when the Paulaudie railroad was in course of construction, its progress was a matter of great interest to the people of the region. A farmer who sold provisions to the con-tractors often reached the place where the men were at work at mealtime. He was greatly impressed at their The work was hard, and when the dinner bell rang every man made a dash for the table, and before one could believe it possible the food had disappeared.

One day a workman on his way to the table tripped on the root of a tree and fell. He lay quite still, making no attempt to rise.

The farmer rushed to him in great concern.

"Are you hadly hart?" he asked.
"No," answered the man. "Well why don't you get up and go

to your dinner?"
"No use," returned the other sadiy. "It's too late new."

Not Worth Bothering About Customer-Confound you, that's a piece of my ear! Barber-Only a small bit, sir; not sufficient to affect the 'exringi-London Opinion,

Look not mournfully into the past; it comes not back again. Wisely improve the present.

AN INSPIRING THIBUTE.

It Made a Remarkable Scune in the House of Representatives.

A touching scene occurred in the house of representatives a number of years ago when an aged member from New Jersey arose and for the first time addressed the meaker. All eyes were turned in his direction as stood calmly awaiting recognition. He was tall, spare and creet. His vener-able appearance and kindly expression, coupled with most courteous manners, at once commanded attention,

As in husky tones he sgain said "Mr. Speaker" there came from the farthest end of the great hall in a whisper, but distinctly heard by all, the words, "Sweet Alice, Ben Bolt" A moment later and from the floor and gallery many volces blended in the familiar refrain, "Don't you re-member sweet Alice, Ben Bolt?" The ovation which immediately fol-

lowed was such as is rarely witnessed in the great ball. Business was sus pended for the moment and the hand of the new member warmly grasped by the chosen representatives of all parties and sections. It was an inspirrightes and sections. It was an impli-ing tribute, one worthly bestowed. The member was Thomas Dunn Eng-lish, nather of the little peen, sung in paince and cottage, which found its way into all languages and touched all hearts.—Adial E. Stevenson in "Some-thing of Men I Have Known."

CURIOUS ESKIMO LIVING.

The Pallet Rooms in Homes Entirely

Devoid of Furniture.

"Furniture is quite unknown in a common Eskimo home," writes the wife of the Danish governor of Greenland, Anna Bistrup, in an article on "Eskimo Women in Greeland" in the

Century.

"The houses of the Eskimos are all built of atone and turf, with the winentrance always being on the side that is least exposed to the wind. Along the back wall runs a platform, a pallet of boards, raised eighteen inches above the floor. It is from six to eight feet and through its whole length it divided into rooms or spaces of eight or ten feet. Each room is sepa-rated from the neighboring room by a partition of board or skin. An open passage runs the whole length of the house along the pallet rooms and serves for the traffic of all the inmates, but each pallet room claims for its own the bit of passageway adjoining.

"Each nallet room is occupied by one family, and there they stay night and day. The best pallet room is the innermost and is always occupied by the owner of the house or the oldest if the house has more than one owner."

Worthy of the Highest.
The talk had turned to the orphan children of Henry Donne of Cherry-ville. The former resident asked the stage driver how they had prospered. "They've done first rate," was the hearty response. "Both of them have

"Joe Eddie, he learned the earpenter's trade and has worked right along, and as for Emma Susan-well, I'll tell you what somebody from over the Center said to me only last week about her in

conversation regarding her husband. "Emma Susan married Frank Baxter, one of the James Baxters. , Woll, that man from the Center, he said to me: 'I hear Frank Baxter's been chosen selectman. Well, I don't know but what he'll do all right for you, he said; 'but, whether he's the man for the pince or not, there's one thing certainif ever a woman looked suitable to the position of selectman's wife and would do it credit Emma Susan liazter's that womani "-Youth's Companion.

Too Many Books.

Barnaby Rich in his preface to "A Now Description of Ireland," published in 1600, writes: "One of the diseases of this age is the multitude of books that dolh so overcharge the world that it is not able to digest the abundance of idle matter that is every day hatched and brought into the world, that are as divers in their forms as their authors be in their faces. It is but a thriftiess and thankless occupation. this writing of books. A man were better to sit singing in a cobbler's shop, for his pay is certainly a penny a patch! But a book writer, if he gets sometimes a few commendations of the judicious, he shall be sure to reap a thousand reproaches of the ma-Ilclous."

No Use. Pocahonias had saved the life of

Captain John Smith.
"What would have been the use of killing him, anyhow, pa?' she said. "There are millions of other John Smiths, and there wouldn't have been a line about it in the papers,"

Her news instluct was uncerting Saving the captain's life made a first page story of the affair. - Chicago News.

Black Eggs. The black Caruga duck, a South American bird, frequently lays black eggs. The coloring does not penetrate the shell, being due to an elly pigment which can be rubbed off. In successive layings the coloring fades and disappears.

The Usual Way. She-What would you do if you had money enough to supply your needs? He—I'd start in to make a lot more to supply my wants.-Exchange.

His Occupation. Doctor-1 think, perhaps, your occupation is depressing. Can't you find a more cheerful Joh? What is your work? Patient—I am a joke writer.

Lady Visitor (to temperamental looking prisoner)-Did you ever go in for T. I. P.-No, ma'nm; this is me first offense, and the charge was incceny .-

Brooklyn Life.

To lynch a negro with a rope, some say, is no disgrace.
It simply is an effort made to elevate the race. erything I own in your name. ly for me to have all that money to noend?-Judge. - Dallas News.

CREEPING CACTUS.

Curious Plants That Will Travel Across a Desert.

"The isolation of the desert lowlands of Lower Culifornia, combined with niternations of long continued droughts and heavy rains, has resulted in the development of the richest and most extraordinary desert flora in the world," says E. W. Nelson in the National Geographic Magazine.

"Cactuses of many kinds abound, tarying from giants standing with massive fluted trunks fifty to sixty feet tall to little straggling stemmed species too weak to hold themselves upright. The fruit of many of these cactuses is edible and much sought for by birds and mammals. They were once one of the main crops of the ludians who lived in this wrid region. The cactus forests often form thorny jungles through which it is impossible to pass. "After months among these thorny

plants we supposed we had seen them in all their eccentric variations of forms. One morning, however, while crossing the Liano de Yrais, in front of Magdalena bay, I rode out from a dense growth of bushes into an open area and pulled up my horse in amaze-ment at night of the most extraordidinary of them all. Before me was a great bed of the creeping devil cactus, which appeared like a swarm of gigan-tic caterpillars creeping in all direc-These plants actually travel away from the common center of the group, and I saw many single sections twenty or thirty yards away from the others. The part of the stem resting on the ground sends down rootlets, and the older stems die in the rear at about the same rate as they grow in front, so they slowly more away from the colony across the fints where they live."

A SECRET LIBRARY.

Important Papers That Were Stered Away by Queen Victoria. Within the walls of Buckingham palaco and constructed on the "strong room" principle is a room known as the "secret library," and in this are stored documents and private letters which were they sent forth to the world would doubtless set the whole universe talking.

From the very commencement of her reign Queen Victoria assiduously stored away in nice order all family and other important papers, her only assistant in this duty being a secretary, who entered her service within fourteen years of her accession to the throno and who retained his place until her mujesty's death, though he bluself had no necess to nine lenths of the papers which are docketed, the late queen alone retaining the keys of the safes and cabinets in which her

"secret library" was contained.
Just before her death her majesty added to the list of her papers a batch of letters of the most private and confidential kind, addressed by the late prince consort to his brother, the Duko Ernest of Coburg, and it is a well as certained fact that when possible she acquired overy scrap written by her Into consort to his private friends. It is said by those who are qualified to surmise that the "secret library" not only tells of royal marriages, births and deaths, but that it is virtually the private history of Europe during the last half of the nineteenth century,-London Tit-Hits.

European Civilization The first payements in Paris were laid about the year 1200; in London, about 1417. Berlin was without pavements for into the seventeenth No houses had glass windows before the twelfth century, and us late as the fourteenth century anything might be thrown out of the windows of Paris and London after three times calling out, "Look out!". Shirts were not known until the time of the crusaders, and the fine clothes which ladies and gentlemen wore were seldem washed, but only occasionally "scented." So late as 1550 there were to be found in Paris but three carriages, while in England coaches date from 1580. Forks were unknown, and table

Occupation of Idols.

manners were exceedingly "unsightly."

Some strange occupations agure on Indian census schedules. At the last census in many villages of Haldarabad and the central provinces cuthusinstic and devout enumerators returned the village shrines and temples as "occupled houses." The occupant was the idol, whose occupation was stated as "granting boons and blessings, living on contributions from the tenants." Other callings returned on the sched-ules include collectors of edible birds' nests, receivers of stolen goods, witches, wizards and cow poisoners.-Pall Mall Gazette.

Stumbled on the Will. Wills have often proved a stumbling block to the novelist. One flagrant case may be mentioned. A popular writer causes an old aristocrat to have his "lost will ami testament" witnessed by his butler and his housekeeper. yet he makes them both benefit under it. By so doing to renders the will invalid. But the author does not know

Every Woman's Privilege.

Mrs. Ryram—That's the kind of a husband to have! Did you bear Mr. Dike tell his wife to go and look at some \$100 hats? Mr. Byram-My dear. have I ever deprived you of the privliege of looking at \$100 hats?-Chicago

Venus will not charm so much with out her attendant graces as they will without her .- Lord Chesterfield.

He mowed and sprinkled. Wet and lame,
He tolled at eve and dawn.
So let his epitaph proclaim:
"He had a lovely lawn"
—Washington Star.

Mr. Crawford-The only way for me to avoid these payments is to put ev-Mrs. Crawford-Won't it be just love

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AN ANTIQUATED GUN.

*El Camile," at West Point, a Rello of

Among the old game from past wars on Trophy point there is one that is fondly remembered by every graduate of the West Point Military academy. It is "El Camillo," literally "the camel," n relie of the Mexican war, but dating far back of that.

This antiquated piece of ordnauce which is three parts sliver and painted a light green, bears its name and the royal coat of arms of Spain over an inscription relating that it was the property of the regiment of the Golden Figere, commissioned under Ferdinand ond Isolatia at the time when Columbias set out on his famous vorage to discover a new world. It would be interesting to know what the Spanish grandees would have thought if they could have foreseen that the very cannon which probably thundered god-speed to the explorer would one day be enpured by the unborn nation of the undiscovered continent to which Columbus was bound. The ancient gun was probably carried to Mexico as ship and many years later was pressed Into service in the Mexican army. where the "sluews of war" were always at a premium. It was taken at Monterey by the Americans and sent to West Point as the most approprinte place for such an interesting

rolle.-New York Press.

Tax on Bachelordam.
During the period under William
III. when bachelordom was taxed peers had to pay more dearly than commoners for the privilege of shighe bliss. The yearly tax levied on bach clore ranged from £12 11s. in the case of dukes and archbishops down to 1 shilling in the case of these scheduled as "other persons." Furthermore, a duko was compelled to pay 160 when he married, 130 when his eldest son was born, 125 when every younger son was born, £30 when his eldest son was married, £50 when his wife was buried and £30 when his eldest son was buried. And the other members of the peerage had to pay similar taxes graduated according to their rank. London Chronicle.

An Economic Suggestion.
Oladys—Tommy Tightwad is the
meanest man I've over encountered.
Gwendolyn — What has he done? Gladys-He's engaged to Tilly Tilton you know. It appears that he picked up a ring at a bargain sale and had the nervo to offer it as an engagement ring. It was much too small for her finger. What do you suppose he suggested? Gwendolyn-What? Gladys
-That she diet until she could get it on.-Detroit Free Press.

Plenty of Rest is Necessary. The best work, however hard, is al-

ways methodical enough to permit of timely rest and regular nutrition, and the full recognition of this fact is a mere question of public utility which we hope to see more and more widely admitted into practice.-London Lan

A Help When froning. A floor pail of newspapers, piled two

inches high or so, will be the delight of the busy froner. One side should be covered with floor linen, the other with carpeet-the linen for summer and the carriet for winter. It is an un believable relief to tired feet.—Pulla-delphia North American.

No Time to Think. Father-Have you done any thinking about how you are to meet your debts! Son-No. dad, but I've done a deuce of a lot of wondering .- Puck.

you have knowledge let other light their candles by it.-Thomas Ful-

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

LOVE'S LABOR LOST.

He intended to Be Generous, but His

Bride Thought Otherwise. "What is the matter?" inquired her dearest friend as she was ushered into the bondoir of her newly married chum and found, instead of the vision of happiness she had expected, a dishereled, hereine largely dissolved in tears. "What is the matter?"

"Algernon has gone away for a

"But, my child, you don't mean to say that you are such turtle doves that you can't spare him for a week without making a scene like this?"
"Oh, no, it isn't that at all! Of

course it is hard to live alone, but he has at last shown me what a monster "Why, this is shocking! What care

he have done? You haven't found he was already married or -"No, no, not It's only that he is a heartless, miserly creature. Only think! I asked him to leave me a

check to pay for things while he was Well, surely he didn't refuso?" "No worse than that—for worsel Ho Just wanted to wound and immiliate mo! He left me a cheek, all dated and signed, complete, except that he didn't put any amount in! Wasn't that very ernel?"—Judge.

Analysis of Laughter.
For the benefit of a melancholy world an English professor has been devoting his careful, scientific attention to laughter and has prepared an expert analysis of the whole business, according to the Providence Journal, "Laughter," he says, "is a convulsive action of the diaphragm. In this state the person draws a full breath and throws it out in interrupted, short and audible eachimations. This convul-sion of the disphragm is the principal part of the physical manifestation of laughter, but there are several accessories, especially the sharp vocal utterance arising from the violent tension of the larynx and the expression of the features, this being a more intense form of the smile. In extreme cases the eyes are moistened by the effusion from the lachrymat glands."-

Philadelphia Ledger.

Walnuts as Food. The ancients held the walnut in highenteem. Mortals could and did exist on access, but walnuts were so de-ficious in tasto and flavor, so palatable and nutritious, that they were revered as food only for the gods to dine upon. Modern investigation and modern cus-tems have popularized the uses of thewalnut to such an extent that it is now regarded not only as a luxury, but ns a food of great nutritive value. A chemical analysis of the aut shows that it is six times as nutritious as-No vegetable or fruit, with the magainly exception of the olive, can be compared with the walnut as a strength giving and fat producing food. Allbuts are possessed of elements of nutrition, but the highest in rank is the walnut.-Manchester Guardian.

Strangled the Tree.

A Victoria clergyman had an orange and a pine tree in his garden. One spring it was noticed that the crange tree was drooping, and on digging down he found that the roots of the pine, which stood at some distance, had twisted around the taproot of the orange tree and were strongling it to death. The offending roots were un-twisted and cut away, and the drooping plant revived. The tree eventually died. Then on digging down at a greater depth the clergyman found the pine had attacked the orange root lower down and accomplished its murderous end .- London Graphic.

He Wanted a Permanent One. Joshna was buying a fieldglass.
"This one," said the clerk, "Is just what you want. Its magnifying power is twenty-five times."

er is twenty-nive times."
"No," Joshua replied; "I want to
uso it oftener than thut."—Success-Mozazine.

Mr Taft on Suffrage.

President Taft in an interview pubpredators that it is no interview published to the Woman's World is quoted as declaring that he is not one of those who believe that matrimony is a necessity for women, and he declares that he agrees with the principle of woman without

ple agrees with the principle of woman suffices.

If wish that every girl in the world were so situated that she would not fuluk it necessary for her to many unless she wanted to, and Mr. Taft, of would like to have the somene of

of would like to have the solicine of things so arranged that women when they come to decide sat) instrinony should have a full, and unfettered choice. This they can have only when they are should by independent. Then if they decide to marry they can turn their faces toward the new life with the strength home of warranged. reasonable hope of years of unmixed

bappiness.

One the question arises as to how myow the question arises set o how the girls of the country can reach this position, which is their due. I believe that the most important education pa-able is that which may by called in-dustrial vocational education, the kind that puts young men and young wo-pien in a position from which they can achief con efforts work themselves to by their own efforce work themselves to

Independence
I have said in some of my speeches to various parts of the country that I am very glad indeed that I shall have the country that I am very land indeed that I shall have the country that I am very land the country ant very gard indeed that twist have no property to leave to my boys. To my two sons I shall leave only a good character, a good education and a pride in themselves, but for my daughter I intend to scrape together as much as I can give her and to train her in such a manner that also shall take in the great fact that for the sake of her own happiners ahe shall marry only when she ohouses and not becaute of chountainnes. I am not one of those who believe that matrimony is a necessity for women."

On the question of woman suffrage On the question of worten and race Mr. Tate and: "I wout the women of the country to have the full and unqualified right of suffrage as soon as zeey all want it. When I was sixteen years old I wroto a graduating essay on their typers and in that have the right I was a strong advertise. boylsh srtiate I was a strong advocate of women exercising the suffrage.

A Jocose Judge.

The alty magistrates of New York are the may magnificate of New York He houses beings, not mere codifications of the common law, and many a kirry of decidedly human interest comic or pathetic, comes out of the justice courte of the metropolis. This is one of the

A prisoner was arraigned before Mag-istrate Freshi recently on a charge of assault and battery.
"What have you got to may for your-

self?" asked the magistrate.
"Hey? What's that?" asked the
prisoner, his band curved suggestively

prisoner, his band curved suggestioner, his band curved suggestion blacks.
"Whal's your name?" shouted the

"What's your name and whore do you flyc?" mared the judge. "Sorry, Can't hear a word," declared the prisoner.

clared the prisonor.

The pollection came gallantly to the rescope and the prisoner said no was a professional song writor.

"Well," said the magistrate, heaving the sigh of Inhorhous duty performed, "PR give you a title for a new song. It is: 'You May Be Deaf Tonight, But Your Hearing Comes Tomorrow!"

Add the prisoner, who had not heard a word, bowed gratefully;—Youth's Companion. a word, bo Companion.

Just What He Wanted.

The superlutendent of the capitol and The superintendent of the capitot and the grounds at Washington was walking slong one of the corridors in the house office building one day when a greenborn congressman, stawing with race, grabbed him by the sleeve, "What's the matter?" asked the superinted and, observing the man's emotion.

ilon, "Matter!" shouted the congressman, "Why, when I went into my cilice isst evening there was a brand new type-writer on the desk. Now it's gone, You've got a lot of thieves around here?" The official walked juto the office and without a word lifted the trap cablact of the deak and brought the typewriter in-

Pinel" commonted the congress-

man. "Now, have you got a place like that in here for my use when trouble-come constituents knock on the door?" —Washlugton Star.

A Congregation of One;

In his younger days the Rev. Bir Cameron Iree, D. D., was a highland missioner in a scattered territory and paysing rich on £40 a year. On one ocon the Babbath day the windows of heaven opened and there was nullister of course was at the post, but only one member of the congregation had the courage to turn up, an old farmer. Cameron Lees suggested that in view of the terrible weather they

In view of the terrible weather they should adjourn to his study and hald their devotions there.

"No, no," said the old highlander. "It is written, Where two or three are gathered together in my name there am I also." You are one and I'm one. Tuleo, You are one and Pin one, so there's two, and we'll have the service as usual." And there was a service or a congregation of one.—London Globe.

Carious Justice,

A Paris contemporary gives us a gliupse of the administration of justice among the natives in the Lower Niger territory, which for its efficacy might be compared with Swift's account of the means adopted by judicial authorities in Laputa, we believe, to discover conspirators. If a native is accused of their the heads of the village make a decoction of herbs and put into the estated about a grain of ground paper. The liquid is then lightly applied to the cyclid. If the suspect weeps he is con-A Paris contemporary gives us a eyelid. If the suspect weeps he is con-sidered guilty. But the murder test is an improvement upon that of their. The "wise man" of the district draws a the "wise man" of the district draws a versel of water, into which he puts some poison. Then he takes a cow tall and "saperges" the eyes of the supposed assassin. If the man becomes blind he is pronounced a murderer.

Her Mother—Mr. Sloman has been coming to see you for quite a long while, Maude. What are his inten-tions? Do you know? She--Well, it think he intends to keep on coming.— Phills/etphile Press. thing he intends to Philadelphia Press.

Wigg-I east you coming out of Dr. igfee's house this morning. What Wagg. Nothing now. I went to pay bis bill.

Wile-Wasn't that a good box of cigars I gave you on your last birthday? Husband-Yes; I never saw a better box, my dear.

The November Century,

That the November Century begins that magazine's eighty-third volume gives the number special interest, even

aude from its widely varied list of good things, Perhaps firet in interest in the num-Perhaps first in interest in the number's offerlage is a our-act piay by the tate Bir William & Gilberi, one of two secured by The Century since that noted playwright's death. It is a character study of a man of the lower London classes unfer sentence of death, and have certain Dickens quality. It is called "The Hooligan," and there are illustrations by Regionald Birgh. Another nomitian wifer removement in Another popular writer represented in the number is the author of "The ikosal Highway," Jettrey Farnal, who contributes a tomac the anost story "The Journey's End."

Henry T. Finek, an authority on food Hanry T. Finck, an authority on food and cookery, has the diret of intre important and suggestive articles on "Ungastionomic America." White it is true that America cookery has made considerable progress above the days of "Martin (Duzziewit" [1813], yet in Mr. Finck's optolou we stim perpetrate many gastronomin advocates. Why you have sweet instead of as ted butter? Why not the was sweet instead of as ted butter? Why not the was sweet instead of as ted butter? Why not the same true that are really a moken! The article discusses there appealing and prethe treat are ready a moved. The article discusses these questions and presents at the control of molesums eating. Later articles will treat of multiplying the pleasures of the table and the luture of country and cattag.

Other notable features of the number other dotaine features of the number will lecture and account of eighteenth century color prints and English whereity by Royal Continons; a narrative of unique personal experiences to the Andrewy United Johnson Post, the fleet of a series of unusual travel papers; two stricts on Larayette, and a turnels and should english themselves. tunely and eigenfluent discussion, "The Western Studiot as Been by His In-structors," by Prof. Wildiam Bleams Davis, of the University of Minnesota.

Scoth Accent Too Much For Him.

The only real blot on my visit to Glasgow, says a writer in the London cketch, is my forst insbility to speak with a Secutish accent. I rather pride myself, as most people do, on my vocal initiative ficilities, but I confers to all the world here and how that I cannot mittage the Secutish accent. Afy Irish initiate the Scottish accent. My Irish is beautiful; it would make all Dublin weep. My American is quite good; I could nearly always get anything that I wanted in the shops if I had the money. Anybudy can talk Welsh who extent is substitute "p" for "b" and "p" for "best," But the Scottleh society. or the "But Hu I he Scotlesh account eludes me. Somethers I speak a little Scotlish, teutatively, to the policeman or the fam conductors or the thop-keepers. The policemen draw their terres. staves, the train conductors stop their trains, and the shopkeepers put up their shutters. I am not quite sure, but I rather think that I shall abandon the unequal atruggla.

She Was Persistent.

A huge package once reached Bir Walter Scott from a young lady in America for which he had to pay \$25 expressage. It contained a manuscript expressing. It contained a manuscript play and a letter from the fair author play and a letter from the last suther requesting Scott to read and correct her work, write and prologue and an optogue, arrange for he production at Drory Jame and negotiate with a publisher for the copyright. That was bad enough, but worse was to fellow, About a forfulght later private another whether asket the arrange of the latest a state. Adout a fortulation or reviet another mighty packet, charged with a similar meshage. South who had not grown where by experience, pand the charges and open the parcel. Out came a duplicate copy of the play and a second letter from the authorses, stating that as the weather had been stormy and she the weather tisd been stormy and she feared something might have happened to her former manuscript she had thought it prudent to send him a duplicate.

A Quibbler,

"These people obey the letter, per-haps, but they don't obey the apirt of the law." The speaker was dissusing celtain troublesome and why trangree-sors. He continued: "And they don't even forcepret the letter of the law cor-

even interpret the letter of the law correctly. They and their attorneys quibble like the young man in Pike county, "A young man and his girl wore strolling in a Pike county meadow when a bull dashed upon them.

" "Stay hero and protect my retreat," orded the girl. "You know, Reggie, you've often eath you'd fees death for

"Hat Reggle, who had already aprinted fifty yards, called back over the abouter: "The you call that bull dead?" "-New York Press,

Dust Whirls,

Beaward flowing water are not alone responsible for the desundation of soils. These who have watched dark dust storms approaching will be interested to know that know that calinates of soild material suspended to the air run from 160 to 115,000 tons per cubic miles of air where such storms are prevalent. The scollar geolgist, Udden, taking conservative values and using fairly accurate data for the number, velocity velocity. curate data for the number, velocity and duration of the dust storme in the and duration of the dust stormen the western states, concluded that "on the average about \$50,000,000 tons of dust succarried 1,410 miles each year, thus doing to this region alone about 1,225,000,000,000 mile tons of transport."
The dust white run each an average distance of \$18 or \$100. distance of 218 miles.

Rubbing It In.

"You have kept my nose to the grind-stone. Screpts," apoke her husband, nerving himself to say something at last, "for diteen years!"
"I've done more than that, Volney," snapped Mrs. Vick-Sent. "I have made you turn the grindstone,"—Chi-cago Tribune.

"Every criminal is aure to leave a number of clews behind him."
"Yes, indeed," replied the old police officer. "I suspect that some of them leave as many as possible behind so as to keep the detectives theorizing while they catch a steamboat."—Washington Sist.

Griggs.-Weren't you surprised that the curtoms inspector didn't find those things you emuggied in? Briggs-Ob, no; my wife stowed them away. Bhe can pack things in a trunk where she can't even find them perseif."

Ohndren Ory for pletener's CASTORIA.

Pit Brow Women.

The Pit brow women work at the months of English ceel mines in sheds open to the weather at the sides. The work which they perform has to do with the sorting of the coal according to size and quality and the freeling of it from stones. There is some lifting to be done and some pushing. There is some risk, but not a great deal, Weimen have been burt by the catching of their chothing in the belting, and machinery, but of late there has been more care than formerly in covering the parts of the machinery which proved dangerons. At the present this accidents are are and continued for the most part to the crushing of flugers. There is dust contractly lifting, and the makes the work untity, Women working in coal get black faces as well as men, but they wear cinths on their heads, which keep the dust out of their heads, which keep the dust out of their hart, and the fact that they are in the heads, which kept the dust out of their hair, and the fact that they are in the open air, together with the constant a occular exertion required, is on the whole beneficial to their health. Many of the girls are thoe figures and will have good color. They prefer the occupation to domestic labor or employment in factories. The wards they care range from a shifting to 2a, 8d, a day. In the various colliery towns there are upward of 5,000 women thus employed, -Ex-CHERR'S

Testing The "Young Bud."

An old bachelor had somehow atrayed into a young people's party, and realizating that he could not hope, among so many bandsome youths, to make the many handsome you the, a make the neart of a single maiden throb, its said to the nearest girl whose conversation had shown somewhat more good sears than he had expected.

"I not about the baltoom. Notice that the table with the hand some different than the state of the said than the state of the said than th

that the girle who have removed their gloves have well shaped arms. And—ahemi—some have not removed them

But neither generalization fite me," answered the stri, "for, you see, I have one arm bare and one gloved—what would you say about me?"
"Walk out and let me look at them," said the old bachelor, unfeelingly.
The girl took a few steps out, paused

and returned.

Take the other glove off," said the old bachelor.

. An Extra Bazardous Risk.

Here was a case where it seemed as reje was retiled. The insur-suce company's doctor had reported that the man beemed to be all light, and the man himself had certified that he was not sugaged in any dangerous

ne was not sugaged in any dangerous occupation.

"How about the sports?" the examiner saked. "Do you football? Baseball? Do you belong to an athletic club?"

"No; none of that stuff. I guess I'm

a maje risk,"
"Do you scorch?"
"What do you mean?"
"Do you drive your car faster than
the speed fluit?"
"I have no car."
"What? How do you get about?"
"I walk,"
"I walk,"
"Risk strange."

"Risk refused. A scorcher is a dangerous risk; but pedestrian has no chanco at all. Buy a car, old man. Borry. Good might."- Huffalo Evening News.

Real Centleman.

"You have some beefsteak, of course?" quarted a man who had harriedly entered a butener's shop.
"Yes, sir."
"And beefsteak is good to take the color of the blesk page?"

"And decision is good to take the color out of a black eye?"
"The best thing to the world, sir."
"Good! Save two pounds for Ritey."
"Which Ritey who lives to Jones street.
I'm going to block both his optics.
He'll probably call to haif an bour.
"Parent mountes liter the serve hear.

He'll probably call to haif an hour. Twenty muntes later the same man came back with the coat in rage, his collar gone, ble nose damaged and both eyes puffed up.

"Did you find Riley?" asked the butcher, with a twinkle in his eye.

"I did, sir, and he has kindly consented to let me use the beststeak. Mr. Riley ha zantlaman, sir."

Riley is a goutleman, sir,"

The Seven Wonders.

I wonder if my wife will stand for "night-work-at-the-office" agaiu?

L wonder who I can touch for a loan? I wonder if he will come again to-I wonder whether he's holding a

good hand or only Stuffling.

I wonder how she keeps from showing her age?

I wonder if that's her had, wonder had g her age? I wonder if that's her last year's hat

made over?
I wonder how they keep up appearances on his salery?—Puck.

Where He Starred.

An ambitious amateur actor had so persistently besieged the club manager for a place in the play that finally he was admitted.
"What putt am I coat for?" he in-

quired. You are to be the herofue's faither."

"You are to be the herome's father," was the reply.
"What does he do?"
"Yell, sir, he does six years before the curtain rises on the first act," said the manager.—Metropulitan Magazine.

Sarcastic Wills,

Oue eccentric Frenchman directed that a new counting recipe should be pasted on his tomb every day, and autother Frenchman, who was a lawyer left \$50,000 to a funatic asylum, declaring that it was simply an act of resitiution to the citents who were insane enough to employ his services.

Defective Eyesight.

"Some kinds of love may be blind,"

"Some kinds of love may be only remarked the moralizer, "but the love one has for his country feu"t."
"Perhaps not," rejoined the demoralizer, "but it is often too nearighted for active military service."—Chicago

"I can give you the part of a butler,"
"I couldn't take a small part like
that."
"You are evidently not used to society drama. The butler has bis share
of the epigrams."—Pittaburg Post.

"Did you know Pipkin3 made me

the hero of his play?"
"Why, no?"
"Yes. I sat through it all. Wyan't
that herolem?"—Browlag's Mazzine.

"And the result?"
"Bame old aviation news. A fine start and all of a sudden a fearful bump,"

vice Box Churches.

In "The Suburban Women and the Church" in Suburban Life for October, Margaret Woodward Melle, of a subur-ban oburch that had a reputation for ban oburch that had a reputation for being cordie to strangers: "The head of a certain family of newcomers ar-tended a reception held in this church. His first words upon addressing the partor wers like the exploding of a bomb lu the enemy's [camp. They They showed sil-breeding in every syl-lable.

lable.

4 'Sir,' said the atranger, 'We've come to your church, and now we hope we shau't freeze. People tell us we shail.' The fine courtesy and Christian apirit of the pastor,s reply won our heatle.

spirit of the pasion, reply was con-hearts.

"bly friend," said the ministry gently, "We hope you will share your own hearts warmin with us." The sg-gressor was made sware in a delecte way of the fact that strangers have their ductor gerform, as well as the way or the ract that arrangers have their duties to gerform, as well so the church. 'A man to have friends must blow himself friendly,' ctrangers should at least be willing to go half-way, to meet the courtesies which the church juvariably extends."

Colored His Sermons.

"A minister has got to be allys and resourceful today," said a deacon of a big metropolatan church. "Ours fluds he can't speak well extemporaneously, and he reads from a typewritten copy. I never knew how be managed to preson so effectively until one day I happened to see his manuscript, Helf of it was underlined in different colors. It looked so curious that I asked-him about it.

It looked so curious that I asked him about it.

"A little scheme of mine," he said laughingly. 'I found I was delivering what I had written in the same tone. So now, early on Sunday morning, I go over the copy I carry into the pulpit. I keep crayon pencils of its dillivent colors on my desk. Red means one tone, green yet another, yellow and bine yet others. As I turn each page I eee at a glance just how I am to speak.' 'Now York Sun.

Wrong Interpretation.

A city official tells of a conversation be and a Spanish muiden had when he was a sergennt, with troups stationed on the island of Porto Rico.

"The securits," which the official thad become infatuated with a certain solder seamed Harry, and she had tearned his users. One morning she approached me and asked:

"Where Harry?"

"He was asked, and I laid my had

"He was asleep, and I taid my head on my hand and closed my eyes to tell the girl. She misunderstood the signs and, with a cry, pointed to heaven. I shook my head and pointed down. The senorite tasted her hands is allent amplification. Letter there, was need. supplication. Later Harry was seen on guard, and the girl looked at me re-proscutoity."—Indianapolis News.

Helpful Son-In-Law.

"Bo you asked my wife for my daughter's hand, aid you?" said the stern father.
"I fild, and says began to give me a piece of her mind about my personaption and i?"—

"And you test a retreat and came to see me. Well sir"

"Oh, no! I argued it out with her, and before I fer she had given the her cannot be a second to the Consent.

You did? Bully for you! You can have the girl, and you can live right here with us. I want to study your system of defying my wife for a year or so any way."—Woman's World. to any way."

More Worry.

"I didn't know you admired that of-

Helal. "I don't," replied the political man-

agor.

"Then why do you insist on crediting him with a presidential boom?"

"Merely to make his life thatder by giring him something more to worry about.--Exchange.

To Prove His Say So.

Mr. Jawback-My dear, I was one of the first to leave.
Mrs. Jawback-Oh, you always say

Mr. Jawback—I can prove it this time. Look out in the half and see the bosulful umbreha I brought home,— roledo Blade.

She Saw Too Much.

She fafter marcinge)—You told me that I was your first love, but I have found a whole trunkful of letters from all sorts of girls, just bursting with tenderness."

He--[--[said /ou were the liret i over loved. I didn't say you were the only one who ever loved me. See?

Ouice Work.

"That editor is terribly slow at reading manuscript."
"Tinuk so? Why, I know the time has went through twelve-stories in less than a change?"

than a minimite."
"Gracious! When was that?"
"When the elevator broke."—Phildeiphla Press.

Appropriate to the Occasion.

"My tailor always has a touch of the appropriate in his work."
"Re3; I've known him to press mourning suits with sadirons."—Hallings Amasican. llmore American.

"Mamma, sumfing dreadful has happened," said little Edith. "What is it, sweetheart?" saked her mother.

"My new dolly ran away from me and broke a plate in the pantry."—London Telegraph.

"Your father might have been a rich hand, but for one thing,"
"What was that, mother?" "How was obliged to attend an extra lession of congress instead of spending the summer on the lecture platform.—

"Thank beaven, air is still free,"

said the gloomy person.
"Yes," repiled Mr. Chuggins, "But an automobile tire to surround a small section of it costs a nesp."—Washington Siar. "Imitatio" de busy bee is all right," said Uacle Eben, "if a man is satisfied to lay up housy for hisse'f an' not go roun' trylu' to sting somebody."—
Washington Star.

Washington Star. Nothing raises the price of a blersing like its removal, whereas it was its con-trouance which sould have cost us its value,—Haunah More.

Dramatic Criticism.

The small boy stood in front of the dazgling lights of the cheap theater with a yellow dog under his arm. Evidently he wanted to get in, and the sight of a well-dressed and apparently prosperone man on the sleps gave him an dea. The Detroit News-Tribune is responsible for the story.

"Are you the manager of the show?" asked the boy. It turned out that he had guessed correctly and the lad continued:

"I went to see the show, but I haven't got no mouey. I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll give you this dog if you'll its toe in."

The manager's heart melted. He re-

The manager's freat incited. Ite remerobered total is, too, had been a boy,
"You may go in?" he said, "but never
mind about giving me the dog. Take
the dog slong with you."
The lad went in with the yellow dog
under me arm. After the performance
the manager was till standing in front
and happened to see the uranto come
out.

out,
out,
"Well sointy," be remarked, "how
did you like the show?"
"D, pretty well," he said, "but Pm
glad I didd's have to give you the dog."

She Had Noticed.

He was talking to the pessionistic, shap tongue dames! "Have you noticed," the asked, "that as a rule, bachelors up wealther than manied men?"

"High do you secount for 11?" he in-

"How do you seesel,"
quited,
"The poor man marries and the rich
one doesn'!," she showered. "A man
is much more disposed to divide nothing with a woman than he is to divide
something, you know,"

Parental Tactics.

A worried parent is sometimes oblig-ed to do sometting like this:

'Pla, what is a transcondentation?'

'thave you chained up the dog as I told you?'

'Not yet, pa.''

'Vell, do that, and when you come back I will tell you what a transcen-dentailer is.''

While Bothly was your his sainte

A parent dug the needed information out barent dug the needed information out diotionary.-Birminghum Age-Herald.

Turner's Salad Suggestion.

At a dinuer a solar was offered to Turner, the great artist, which caused him to call the attention of his neighbor at the table—Jones Libyd, attenuard Lord Overstone—of it. "Rice cool-green lettice, san't 1922 he said, "And st the table—Jones Indyd, atterward Lord Oversions—to th. "Nice cool-green lettines, such he?" his said. "And the Dectroct, prefly red, not quite strong enough, and the mixture, deli-cate that of yellow that. Add some mustard and then you have one of my metures."

Maine's First Hotel.

Maine's limi public hotel was built In 1854. Waddock's Ordinary, erected near Ord Orenard, according to a cinco instortant, is shifted to the distintion. The old tayern was erected by floory Waddock and shoul shinest within eight of the large summer hosteries which friege the crescent snaped beach or Old , Oraliard .-- Kennanee

A Partial Alibi.

"She claims she has a perfect allbi." "What is her subi?"

"What is her allon"
"Bhe says she can prove that at the very must the chane was committed her own little girl was brushley her hair,"
"That proves an slift for her mair, but how soout herself?"—Houston

The Doctor's Boy.

"Mamma; the doctor's boy next door

"Manina, the doctor's doy next door
made luces at me."

"And what did you do?"

"I stuck not my tongue at him,"
"Dear, dear! And what did the bad
boy do theu?"

"He just said it was badly coated."

Bir, as the chairman of the commit-

tee, we say you please not to have wines or indicate at your society's coming banquet. Will you permit this?" "I promised you the matter small have my solver thought." A brige was built recently on an Arctic rulroad in the night, but it was an Artic man.

Attio uight.

Madge-Did you telt thin you didn't believe thin when he told you that you were the first girl he ever loved?

Marjori—No, but I came right back at him with suchler whopper; said he was the first man that ever kiesed me.

– Judye. The greatest drawback to a long life

is tout it necessitates old age.

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Decision that the "panggeraled ego" does not turply actual leanning doubt less will cause many people to breathe sign of relief

Every day in this city thousands of persons eat too much at dinner, and, as a consequence, surfer from your Stomach, Heartborn, Indigation, Byspptis, &c. If these will take jest set of Carner's Luttle Liver Pilis leastfairly after stiles, they will so surprised by the entire summers of those unpleasant feelings which daily distress them, and may continue in heir improper course of eating big dinners without tear. Unity one little pilit remember.

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Palpitation of the heart, nervousaces, trembling, nervous hendache, cold bands and feet, pair in the back, and older forms of weakness an relieved by Carler's from Pills, made special ly for the blood, nerves and complexion. We have quit worshiping great heroes who live a long way off instead in future we shall worship the citizens around home.

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ite who besitates much will accomplish lithere erer was a specific for any one com-pisting then Carter's Little Liver Pills are a specific for sick headache, and every woman should know this. Unity one pill a dose. Try them.

Decision Left With Judge.

P. J. Cocorau of the western aviation circuit seld at a recent banques in Selt Este:

'The international tribunal has de-

cided against us in the Grahams White claim. Well, that international tribuum is always unsalifactory, anyway, it is should as the hypnotist in the murder trial.

the murder (ris).

"In the days when hypnotism figured in every murder trial, a famous hypnotist offered to hypnotize the prisoner and get a confersion out of him.

This offer was accepted.

"Accordingly, after a thrilling scene in the courtroom, the accused man felt back wildly in a trance, the hypothetic ceased the weird movements of his white hands, and there was a tense pause, "" 'Well," said the judge lu a low

voice," you've hy natized him, having you? What are you waiting for?"
"I am waiting," the hypnothet amounted, 'till you tell me whether Part to make him confess that he did it or make him confess that he didn't."

A Real Lady,

Among the yndugaters belonging to a college settlement to a New England city was one tittle girl who returned to her humble home with glowing accounts of the new teacher.

"She's a perfect lady," exclaimed the outbreastle youngster, "that's what

The child's mother gave her a doubt-

ful look. "How do you know?" she said. "You've only known her two and, "You've only known her two days."
"It's easy shough tellin'," continued the olitic, "It know this a perfect lady because she makes you feel polite all the time." June Japancott's.

The Worth of the Voice,

How wonderful is the human voicel it is indeed the organ of the soull. The intellect of man sits enthroped visibly. intellect of man sits enthroned visibly, upon his forehead and in his eye, and the heart of man is written upon his connecisace. But the soul reveals itself in the voice only; as God revealed Pinself to the prophet of old in the still, small voice, and in the voice from the burning bush. The soul of man its and but, not visible. A sound alone betrays the flowing of the eternal fonctain, invisible to man,—Longfellows, Hypericu. Hyperiou.

All About the Pig. .

A little boy's first composition was about a pig. This is the way he wrote it: "Pigs are very queer suimals. The pig his its uses. Our dog don't like pigs, fits name is Nero. Our tracker read a piece one day about a wicked pig his its user. Our dog don't like pigs. His name is Nero. Our teacher tead a piece one day about a worked king named Nero. I like good man, My papa was an awini good man, Men are very useful. They have a great many uses which I can't stop to tell them att. This sail I can't hink of about the pig."

Worse Off.

"You know that I told you how I dropped our rubber plant and wrocked"
"Yer,"

"Yes,"
"Yim sorry I did R." "My wife has just bought a new one that's twice as heavy,"—Cleveland Piato Dealer.

Love All. There is no baim to a man's heart there is no only the love others feel towards blin, but that he feels towards others. Be in love with all things, not only with your fellows, but with the whole world, with every creature that walks the earth, with the birds in the

with the inscore in the grass, ... H, Fielding Hall.

Abruot. Judge Stevens had a slight hesitation in his speech, but that affiliation did not prevent his using long words. One moraling his dog bing got lot a fight with another dog. Tapping bim with with another dog. Tapping bim with his case, Judge Stevens exclaimed, "D-d-die-con t-tin-ue."—Success Maga-

zine.

Amended. "James is a physical wreck." "Why, he used to have a strong con-

"But the doctors have amended it veral times,"—Cleveland Plain several Dealer.

A Concomitant.

"leastiam battle always followed by a festive celebration?" "I don't know. Why do you ask?" "Secause where there is a shain battle, there ought in the fitness of thing, to be some shain path."

Mistress-Why have you been so long, Maria? I told you was wanted the lobater for lunch, and it is now part I o'clock. Mani-It's on account of your hot!

ble skirt you gave me, madam .- Pele

When Blikine was away from home on a long business trip, he got a letter from his wife that still puzzles tim. It ended thus:
"Haby is well and lots brighter than she used to be. Hoping you are the same, I remain, your loving wife."—, Everyhold's. Everybody's. "You seem dreadfully vexed." "Yes;

I was to a hurry to get home, but I had heard that Mrs. Nawbell was out of town, so I thought I'd have time to burry around and leave a card and ahe came home-

"Some of the young girls nowadaya," is and Mirs Ano Teek, "are positively terribly. The idea of a girl being angaged to two young men at once! It's abomeful?"

"And," suggested Mirs Peppier, "it's aggravating, too, isn't it?"

It is the duty of every man who de-sires to carry on his husiness in peace and safety to take his share in the defense of his country .- Sir Walter Besant

Guzzler--I've just bought a yacht, but she is rather small. Wigwag.--What is her capacity? Guzzler--Fif-teen cases of beer and room for four people.--Philadelphia Record.

New Housemaid—That baker's man's a nice looking chap. Cook— Why, he's matriced!—Punch. There is no utter failure tu trying to-;

do what is good.

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BATCHDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1911.

NUTES.

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MARSH, BHEFFIRED GOULD-Jonathan blarch departed this life ye 18th.
2nd. no. 1770, aged 68.
Mary bis wife ye 11th. 6 mo. 1766
sped 77 and 6 months.
Daviet blarch their son departed thislife 36th, 10 mo. 1776, aged 45.
Speach is his wife 17th. 1 mo. 1776, at

daughter of Jonathan and Mary March. Gould March no of Jonathan and Mary March departed this life 80, 6 mo. 1801, to the 64th, year of bits age. Jonathan March, departed this life on the minth day of the twelfth mouth 1802 and on the fifth day of the week at five of fock p.m. aged 69 years and four mouth.

Ruth Marsh, daughter of Jonathau Ann Marin, daugner of someone and Mary Marin, departed this life on the first day of the tenth, inouth in the year one thousand eight hindred and nineteen, at a querter past eight days of a malignant fever, on the eight days of the week, in the 'sixty-eighth year of her see.

her age.

Merebah Hall departed this life on the touth day of pluth month 1805 and on the third day of the week at five of the or, in the seventy first year of her age. Bhe was housekeeper to Daulei and Speanna Marsh.

May Arend daughter of Richard

tel and Sprantia Marsh.
Mary Arnold, daughter of Richard
Arnold and his let wife Mary Wood-ward, was born June 30th 1712, and
married David Wilkinson of Provi-dence. She died July 2d. 1808, aged

82 years.
Richard Arnold, father to the above gald Mary was the son of Richard Arnold who lived ear George and Stephen Smith in Smithheid, and the sid Richard was the son of Thomas Arnold who came from Eugland.
Susanna Wilkhoson, daughter of David and Mary his wife married Daulet.
Matsh son of Junathan and Mary his wife.

(To be continued.)

QUERIEB.

6866. BRIGOS-Would like aucestry of Eliphalet Briggs, of Norton, Mass., and wife Mary, living about 1750.—S. P.

5867, ALVERSON-Who were the parents of Alverson, wife of Dr. John Wade, of Paris, Opeida Co., New York? He died 1803.—G. E.

6868. Uann—Whom did Mary Carr, daughter of Caleb and Joanna (Slooum) Carr, of Jamestown, R. L. marry? She was born 1710.—T. L.

ANSWERS.

6790. CHESEBOROUGH -I'can only tell you that David Chesebrough in let June 12 1729, in Newport, R. J., Abigai Rogers (Record of Trinity Church, Newport, R. I.), who died in Newport "April ye let 1788," and that they had three children,—J. C. L.

6795. LARKIN-Edward (1) Larkin, wife Lydis, died about 1721. The son Edward (2) m. twice, and left 10 children. Edward (2) and wife Mary, both left wills recorded in Westerly. Bhall begind to hear from M. S. again, —J. C. L.

"6880. POWELL—Elizabeth Powell, born Newport, R. I., 8 April 1714. m. Kingston, R. I. 1783. Rev. & Banuel Seabury, of Hempstead, L. I. and had a daughter Elizabeth, married Benjamin Treadwoll—Bue was the daughter of Adam (1) Powell, born England 1674, died Newport, R. I. 24 December 1725, martied Newport 29, May 1713; Hester (2) Bernon, born Rochelle Flauce, 1617, died Newport 29, October 1746, daughter of Gabriel (1) Bernon, born Rochelle, 1644. "A gentleman of high tirth and large estates, who from religious prosecution, being a Huguenot, fled to New England." He martied in Rochelle 1673 Heiter Le Roy, (daughter of Francis) born 1854, and they came to Boshon in Ship "Doughtin" 1858. His wife died in Nawport and he went to Providence, where he died I February 1736, "with-full assurance of salvation for his sufferings in the loss of Country and Estate, that he left to worship God according to his conscience."—H. R. W.

The author of the "Cornell Genea-ogy" is about publishing a 2d edition of the Book. He will be grateful to any one who will give him items to make it more complete and correct than the let edition. Address REV. JOHN CORNELL, 7-1-6m Cornell Farm Newport, R. I.

Colleges and College Degrees.

The Bureau of Education of the United States is making a tentative classification of a large group of institutions whose graduates to considerable numbers have cought admission to graduate rethools and professional achoels requiring either a bachelor's degree or some part of an undergraduate course for admission to regulate s'auding. It should not be assumed that this classification will represent the finel judgment of the Bureau in relation to sill of the lastitutions named in the lift, but it is to be prepared to the hope that a frank and thoroughging criticism will materially assist the Bureau of Education in its preparation (for publication operature) each of a classification will the lift the lastituties for Higher Education to the Lasting Conducted the opening business session in the absence of the president, Miss Ellen 2. Smith and Mrs. Elma May Peckham had been invited to speak before the League upon their travels in the West last January and gave

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The classification above mentioned is

reasonable, well-formed, and definite judgment.
The classification above mentioned is intended to be represented under four different heads, viz.:
Class I. fortituitions whose graduates would fordiparily be able to take the matter, degree at any of the large graduate reliable to the stress of the large graduate reliable to the stress of the large graduate reliable to the stress graduate of work regularly prescribed for such higher degree.
Class II. Institutions whose graduated would probably require for the mater's degree in one of the strong graduate schools somewhat more than one year's regular graduate work. This would mean a differential which might be represented by one or two extra year-courser, by one or more sommer school sessions, or by a fourth or fifth quarter. In accordance with the practice of toms graduate schools a brillaut student with a brilliant record from the strong funditutions in this deas (those marked *) might be admitted probationally to regular caudidady, and if he gives antisfactory evidence of bias billity to do the precribed work during the first term semester he might be given an individual rerating in the middle of the year and granted the higher degree on the completion of the regular minimum amount of work.

Class III, Institutions whose standards of administion and graduation are low, or so uncertain, or so loosely administered, as to make the requirement of two years might be one year in undergraduate status, terminating with a bachelor's degree, and ascond year in regular caudidacy for a strighter degree with the ordurary

year in undergraduate status, terminate; lug with a bacheloid degree, and a second year to regular caudidacy for a higher degree, with the ordinary amount of work. The older private institutions, such as Harvard University, Yaie University, Princeton University, Brown University, prefer not to give their bacheloid degree after a single year in residence.

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Class IV. Institutions whose bachelor's degree would be approximately two years short of equivalincy with the mindar's bachelor's degree of a standard college as described above. It should be said in connection with this class that the information upon which to base judgment of individual institutions is test satisfactory, and in larger proportion drawn from cambigues, than is the case for the other classes, since a relatively smaller proportion of the graduates of fustitutions of this class appears to the registration to graduate and professional echools. Presumably a much larger number of fustitutions with appear in this class when work upon the classification of colleges and universities has further properties. Alany of these fusitions make the claim that certain of their graduates have taken the master's degree in one year at some one on the great graduate subvole, but to place of the graduate and of the graduates have taken the indicating has been measurably supplied by summer schools, teaching, field work, or practical experience extending over reversal years.

Information regarding the organization, administration, faculty, curriculum, and undergraduates is sought of the colleges and the work of their graduate eludents to institutions of rith higher learning is followed out, for inmance:

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of the colleges and the work of their grainate eindeute in institutions of still higher learning is followed out, for instance:

Mr. A graduated from Bush College, Louisaville, New Mexico, in 1903; in 1907 was admitted into Blank University as a graduate student. Where was Mr. Al; said what was no dotog during the period of time intervening between 1903 and 1907? Did his diploma from Bush college preve four full years of hard work; for was the opposite the case? What, was inseat in 1903 and in the following full [61] or 1903) was admitted a graduated from Mountainshie College, Nevada, in 1903 and in the following full [61] or 1903) was admitted a graduate student in Blank University. Did his diploma prove four full years of third work, and what was his standling as a student taking the post-gradualth course?

To addition to information obtained from colleges and universities and through these firms of the United States, will, wherever it is practicable for him to do, haske a personal visitation on colleges and universities and through these linears it is betteved a fair uniform, estandard can be established, enting forth the real educational value of the various American institutions conferring college degrees.

At the present time the "Doctor's Degree?" is so common that it is bestending to count for little unless the institution conferring the entered institution served to count for little unless the methation conferring the misses the institution of the proparing of an authoritative conservative guide to all American degree conferring institutions of learning; a guide that will point the way without questioning the following sign in Kennicky; Kuche Salvation, Insures Success for Time and Eterutty 163 intes et M.

MIDDLETOWN

Rev. Arthur M. Peaslee, A. M., from St. George's School, will preach at the Berkeley Memorial Chapel on Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dennis, of Slate Hill, have removed to Newport where they have begun honselveolog. Since their marriage they have resided with Mr. Dennis aunt, Mrs. Phoche E. T. Manchester, with whom Mr. Dennis has lived since the death of his mother in infancy.

Middletown's oldest woman resident, Miss Mary Anthony, who has resided with her niece, Mrs. Asthon C. Barker on Turner's rond, for three years past, observed on Eriday of last week her S9th birthday. In feeble health when she first came to Mrs. Barker's, she has seemed to improve through the summer and to take a renewed interest in life by being able to take short walks and drives. She was the recipient of many birthday cards and gifts and entertained in the afternoon the acting rector of her home church, St. Mary's, Rev. Newman Lawrence.

The Paradiso, Club was entertained on Tuesday by Dr. and Mrs. C. Edward Farnum at their Newport home on Kay atreet. The weekly program was presented by Mrs. Edward A. Brown, subject, "What Women are doing today." Mrs. Brown's original paper was entertaining and instructive. She also read articles, from the Ladies' Home Langage.

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St. Columba's Guild held a well attended

In commemoration of the Feast of St. Simons and St. Jude, a service will be held at Holy Cross Church Saturday morning at 11 o'clock by the acting rector, Rev. Newman Lawrence. In the afternoon a number of prominent leaders in the missionary work in Providence and Newport will speak before the members of the Junior Auxiliary to assist them in planning the work of the winter. The special guests will be entertained by Mrs. Phoche E. T. Manchester, president of the Middletown society and her two assistants, Miss Arresta Champlin and Miss Amma Chase,

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Supperserved, commencing at 8 p. m. Tickets 60 cents.

Dancing free. Newport and Fall River cars pass the door. 10-23-2w

New Books.

St. Columba's Guild held a well attended in Harrest Supper' at the Berkeley Parish House, on Wednesday, evening from 6 to 8 o'clock followed by dancing and a social. The president, Mrs. Joseph F. Albro, was in clarage. The menu included cold mests, brown bread and beans, piez, cakes, rolls, coffice, etc., the tables being decorated with salvia and sweet scented geraniums. The floral effect in the various rooms was very pleasing; a combination of the clematis vine and debliss arranged under the direction of Mrs. E. D. Tarbell. Miss Gladys Kaull of Newsort presided at the piano. A Few Sonnets and Verses By Esther Morton Smith The Following of the Star

.. By Florence Barclay Author of "The Rossary." Ethan Frome

By Edith Wharton The Life Everlasting

By Marie Corelli Operation, Care and Repair of Automobiles Revised. Ed.

CARR'S,

DAILY NEWS BUILDING

the Aquidacck Grange, Thursday evening, at the town hall, "An Evening of Travels." Each member gare either a personal experience or read a sketch. Members from this Grange, and from Portsmouth, Nonaquaket Grange, Stone Bridge, and from Tiverion Grange, expect to attend on Wednesday evening of next week, "Neigbbor's Night" at Little Compton. The two regular automobile busses or stages which carry about 40 have been engaged for the grangers, and several private autos as well. Arresta Champlin and Miss Amma Chase,
The weekly meeting of the Oliphant
Club will be omitted this week in favor of
the annual whist which will take place at
Holy Cross Guild House on Friday evening.
Mrs. Philip Wilbor, who has been in charge
for many years, is chairman on arrangements. The proceeds are always devoted
to library work, either in the Travelling Library of the R. I. State Federation of
Women's Clubs or on the Island. By vote
of the club, at its meeting last week, the
proceeds are to be divided between the
Potsmonth and Middletown Free Libraries. Last year \$10 were made which was
donated to the Middletown Library and was
expend d in erecting much needed book
shelves.

Election of Officers.

Ornbeus Male Singley Society.

President-Frank P. King.
Vice President-John R. Austin.
Secretary-Joseph Pearson.
Tressurer-Melzah W. Basford.
Librarian-Francis W. King.
Musical Director-Henry S. Hendy.
Nomination Committee-Neison R. Duby,
Henry Kelly and Harold Anthony.

The Rural Idealist.

shelves.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society is to give a free public entertainment on Monday evening at the Methodist Episopoul Church for the benefit of Home Mission work. An excellent program has been prepared by the chairman of the program committee, Mr. Edward E. Wells, including music (also solos and duets), by the Ludies' Quarticle, exercises and singing by the children, and the amosing dialogue, "Annt Folly Joins the Missionary Society." A collection will be taken and light refreshments will be sold.

Worth Lectorer Charles H. Ward need. "Do you think that man will make a success of farming?" asked one real es-

success of arming?" asked one real estate agent,
"I'm afraid not," replied the other.
"He's too particular about finding a
farm in a neighborhood where the fishing is good."---Washington Star. Worthy Lecturer Charles H. Ward pre-sented, as the subject of the social hour at

POLL TAX NOTICE.

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coet of the state has relaw.

The Surreme Court of the State has recently rendered an opinion sustaining this
law in every particular.

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payment to the undersigned.

MARIA E. BROWN,
Administraters.

Middletown, R. I., Oct. 21, 1911—21-5w

REPORT

OF the condition of THE NATIONAL EX.
OHANGE BANK at Newport, in the State
of Rhode Island, at the close of business
eptember 1, 1911.
RESOURCES. DOLLARS September 1, 1911.

RESOURCES.

DOLLARS

Lonns and discounts (1915)

Overdrafts, recurred and unsecured U. S. Bonds to secure circulation (1915)

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Bonds, securities, etc.

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I, George H. Froud, Cashler of the abovenamed bank, do solemly swear that the
above statement is true to the best of my
knowledge and belief.
GEORGE H. PROUD, Cashler,
Subernbedand sworn to before me this 7th
day of September, 1911.
PACKER BRAMAN,
Notary Fablic.
Correct—Attest: Edward S. Peckhan, Raiph
R. Barker, F. B. Cogreshall, Directors.

No. 1492. REPORT -

OF the condition of the NEWPORT NA-TIONAL HANK, at Newport, in the State of Rhode Island, at the close of business September 1, 1911. RESOURCES.

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J. Henry C. Stevens, Jr., Cashler of the
above-named bank, do solemnly swent that
the above statement is true to the best of my
knowledge and bellef.

H. C. STEVENS, JR., Cashler.
Subsethed and sworn to before methic 3th
day of September, 1911.

PACKER BRANIAN,
Notary Tublic.

Notary Public. Correct—Attest: Albert K. Sherman, Simon Hart, William Stevens, Directors.

Sale of Real Estate BY ADMINISTRATOR.

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BY VIRTUR and in execution of the authorist to me given in a certain decree, externed on the full day of August, A. D. 1911, and the control of the full day of August, A. D. 1911, and the control of the full day of the

Probate Court of the Town of New }
Bhoreham, IL 1., Uctober 7, 1911. }
Estate of John Hayes. 1

AN instrument in writing, purporting to be a training and the last will and testement of John Rayes, late of add New Shoreham, deceased, is presented for probet, and the same is received for probet, and the same is received and referred to the sixth day of November at three yelock p. m., at the Probet Court Room, to raid New Shoreham, for consideration; and it is ordered that notice thereof be ubilished for fourteen days, once a week, in the Newport Mercury.

EDWARD P. OHÁMPLIN CHIE.

Probate Court of the Town of New }
Shoreham, R. J., October 2, 1911. Estate of Siles N. Littlefield.

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"How so?"

"How so?"

"It can't be an easy matter to sleep
on hoteback."...Judge,

/ Oak Street.